

Churchill has Hope Rome Can be Saved

Looks to Balkans
As Theatre of
Coming Victory

By William Smith White

LONDON, May 24.—(P)—A confident Winston Churchill looked today toward the Balkans as a theater of coming victory and told commons:

The Allies will decide whether Germany must undergo territorial changes and the Atlantic Charter "in no way binds us about the future" of that country.

"We intend to set up a world order equipped with all necessary attributes of power in order to prevent the breaking out of wars or long planning of them by restless and ambitious nations."

"We have great hopes that Rome may be preserved."

In his speech of 85 minutes opening a foreign policy debate, the prime minister said the Allies had "suspended" efforts to bring Turkey in with them but "it looks probable x x x the Allies will be able to win the war in the Balkans and throughout southeast Europe without Turkey being involved in it, although of course the aid of Turkey would be of great help and acceleration in that process."

Churchill spoke kindly of Spain, criticizing those who "insult and abuse" the Franco government. Spain's internal policies, he asserted, were a matter for Spaniards alone.

Complete Unity

Proclaiming the British commonwealth and empire in complete unity to go on with the Allies "to beat the enemy as soon as possible," Churchill advocated "a world council of great states" to keep up enough arms to preserve peace after the war, and "a world assembly of all the powers."

Churchill brought to parliament a report on the recently concluded talks of the premiers in London—a conference at which, he said, they arrived "at the core of an agreement which will enable the British empire and commonwealth to meet in discussion with other great powers in the world in a firmly knit array."

He called Turkey's recent suspension of chrome shipments to the Nazis a "generous gesture," but made clear it would not win her "a strong position at the peace table which she would have had had she joined the Allies."

Turning to the battle ground of the Mediterranean the premier asserted the "fate of Italy is indeed terrible" and said he found it difficult "to nourish animosity against the Italian people."

As he referred to war-wrought destruction—destruction which he said could not be imagined or forecast—Churchill promised that "we shall do our utmost to make the ordeal as short and as little destructive as possible."

Noel Tweet is Head of Lions

Noel Tweet was elected president of the Lions club at the regular meeting today at the Hildebrandt cafe, St. Francis hotel. Other officers were: Adolph Glenn, first vice president; J. K. Kidd, Jr., second vice president; Herbert Hall, third vice president; Sam Highleyman, secretary; Al Gardner, treasurer; George James, tail twister; Roy Conn, Lion tamer; Charles Maggard and George Cornutt, directors for two years; Duane Ewing and J. E. Smith, directors for one year and Milton Overstreet, immediate past president.

Plans were made for a picnic to be held for Lion club members and their invited guests on June 13. The committee in charge is Sam Highleyman, J. H. Kidd, Jr., and Herbert Hall.

The club bid farewell to Robert L. Settles, member of the club, who will leave soon for Joplin, Mo., where he will be assistant manager of the Montgomery Ward store.

Milton Overstreet, president, presided over today's meeting.

Convicted in Ireland

BELFAST, Ireland, May 24.—(P)—Wiley Harris, 26 year old U. S. army private, of Greenville, Ga., today was convicted of first degree murder and sentenced by court martial to be hanged May 26. He was charged with killing a civilian whose body, with 16 stab wounds, was found outside an air raid shelter.

Club Leader Ill

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., May 24.—(P)—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, 85-year-old champion of women's rights and widely-known peace worker, is in "a serious condition" at New Rochelle hospital suffering from a heart attack, her secretary, Miss Alda Wilson, announced today.

Bulletin

LONDON, May 24.—(P)—Aerial sorties flown by the Allies against Europe today were estimated at more than 6,500, the greatest total in history.

Biddle States Laws Should Be Clarified

Declares There is
Room for Argument
In Seizure Case

WASHINGTON, May 24.—(P)—Attorney General Biddle testified today that he believed President Roosevelt was authorized by the war labor disputes act to seize Montgomery Ward and Company's strike-bound Chicago properties, but that even "without regard" to that statute the chief executive has requisitioning authority in wartime.

Appearing before a special house committee investigation of the seizure last month, Biddle cited specifically section 3 of the war labor disputes act, giving the chief executive power to take over property equipped for "manufacture, production or mining."

Acknowledging in a prepared statement that "there is room for disagreement on the legal aspects" of the case, Biddle suggested that if congress itself believes Mr. Roosevelt exceeded his authority, it should clarify the laws so the chief executive "may be guided accordingly."

"No attorney general in advising the president," he said, "can do more than interpret the law as he sees it, trusting to the courts to correct him if he is wrong and to congress to make any changes in the law which it deems wise."

Biddle asserted that he believed the courts would sustain his ruling, adding "it may be that as a result of these hearings this committee will believe that certain changes should be made in the provisions of the war labor disputes act."

Power of Requisition

Amplifying his reference to the president's authority in the absence of a specific statute, the attorney general said:

"Although I relied, in the first instance, upon the provisions of the war labor disputes act, I also believed that without regard to the statute the president had the authority to take over the plans and facilities of Montgomery Ward and to operate them in the interests of the war effort."

Biddle said this power is essentially the power of requisition, adding it twice had been specifically recognized by the supreme court. "President Lincoln," he continued, "without express statutory took possession of a railroad during the Civil War. Before the passage of the war labor disputes act and when there was no express statutory authority for doing so, the president, in nine cases, took over industrial facilities whose operations were interrupted or were threatened with interruption."

Biddle said also that in the debates preceding passage of the war labor disputes act it was generally conceded that the president had seizure authority.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. Anna Borrow, 508 South Carr avenue, admitted for surgery. Glenn Eldon Chapman, 1200 South Stewart avenue, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Mrs. Ida Hamlin, 659 East Fourteenth street and Oscar Rothrock, Houstonia, admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. C. L. Homan, 508 South Engineer avenue, who underwent an operation at the hospital last week, is getting along as well as can be expected.

Kenneth Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hunt, 1405 West Third street, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the hospital Monday morning, is convalescing nicely.

The Weather

MISSOURI: Generally fair tonight, Thursday and Friday, except scattered thunder showers in northeast tonight; somewhat warmer in southwest tonight and east and south Thursday; highest temperatures Thursday near 90 over most of state; continued warm Friday.

Central Missouri: Cloudy and intermittent showers today, with little change in temperature. Lowest tonight 60 degrees. Thursday partly cloudy with thundershowers.

Temperature:
7 a.m. 60 degrees;
3 p.m. 86 degrees.
Rainfall: .65 inch.

Lake of the Ozarks: 14; rise 2.
Sun rise 5:53 a. m. Sun set 8:26 p. m.

First quarter moon May 29; full moon June 6.

Yanks Take Over on Jap held Wakde Island



Members of the U. S. invasion force of Jap held Wakde island, Dutch New Guinea, take cover during an advance on the Jap positions. Enemy resistance was rapidly overcome during the engagement which followed the landing. (NEA Telephoto from Signal Corps Radiotelephoto)

Frank Martin, Formerly of Sedalia, Sees Java Bombing

By Frank L. Martin

Independence Doctor Dies

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., May 24.—(P)—Dr. Fountain Lee Cook, 80, Independence city physician for 32 years, died yesterday after several months of failing health.

Japanese Army Makes Retreat

Chinese Counter
Offensive Steadily
Getting Results

By The Associated Press

A Chinese counter-offensive steadily gathering momentum today forced into full retreat a crack Japanese army aiming at the heart of China.

The weeks-long fighting in wheat-rich Honan Province has "reached a new phase," the Chinese high command declared, and the new full-scale counter blows are forcing back the Japanese in all sectors.

Lushih, roughly 400 miles northeast of Chungking, was recaptured from the invaders. Other Chinese forces besieged in strategic Loyang furiously fought off attackers and awaited reinforcements pushing in from the southwest.

Myitkyina far to the south in northern Burma continued a bitterly-sought prize for Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's Chinese and American troops. His headquarters said the Allied forces pushed further into the partly-held city and had captured a rail-road junction nearby. Seizure of the junction tightened Stilwell's control of Myitkyina's airport, captured last week.

Sermon Makes No Promises

JEFFERSON CITY, May 24.—(P)—Declaring he has "made no commitments" in his race for the Democratic nomination for governor, Roger T. Sermon replied last night to a rival candidate's statement that Sermon is supported by "two smelly factions of the Pendergast machine."

The statement was made yesterday by Edgar Shook of Kansas City, who also said that Phil M. Donnelly of Lebanon was "hand-picked" as a Democratic gubernatorial candidate at a meeting attended by James Pendergast of Kansas City.

That brought a quick denial from State Sen. Michael Kinney of St. Louis, who Shook said attended the meeting.

Kinney said Donnelly is running "on his record and he wasn't picked by anyone or any organization."

"I am astounded that a man who has posed as an intimate personal friend for a period of more than 30 years should indulge in such vicious and wholly untrue charges," said Sermon, mayor of Independence.

"I am making this race solely on my record as a citizen and public office-holder and refuse to indulge in any personalities or charges against my opponent, x x x"

"I have made no commitments nor promises to any individual or group of individuals for support and will make none."

Wife and Children Missing
KANSAS CITY, May 24.—(P)—Mrs. Juanita Sillett, 27, and her three children, James Robert, 6, Richard Clark, 3, and Ronald Leslie, 8 months, are missing, James R. Sillett, 38, the husband and father, has reported to police. The family had been living in modest circumstances, but had made a down payment on a home. Mr. Sillett told police he was unable to explain the disappearance.

Special Gas For
Some Volunteer Workers
WASHINGTON, May 24.—(P)—The Office of Price Administration ruled today that office workers, businessmen and others volunteering for spare-time work on farms and in food processing may receive special gasoline rations.

OPA district directors will designate special boards to consider applications for the special fuel allotments.

ABOARD AN AMERICAN AIRCRAFT CARRIER IN THE INDIAN OCEAN, May 17.—(Delayed)—(P)—American dive bombers were the first to strike—and split seconds later the center of the great Dutch Woonkrome oil refinery at Soerabaja, Java, exploded into a giant red ball billowing 2,000 feet into the sky.

Within 15 minutes, more bombs from the squadron commanded by Lt. Commander Vincent Hathorn of Coronado, Calif., whipped the oil into a flaming fury that was visible for 125 miles.

And then in quick succession American and British carrier-based dive-bombers, fighters and torpedo planes developed the pulverizing surprise attack that blasted the Japanese held seaport—crushing the block-long Braat Engineering Works, destroying 20 Jap planes, damaging a floating drydock and leaving a badly crippled flotilla of ten enemy transports in its wake.

Enemy Unprepared
The raid had caught the enemy completely unprepared, and although the Allied force flew near ten Japanese air bases not one plane attempted interception.

Standing on the bridge of an American carrier high above the steaming Indian ocean I watched the American planes sweep down the deck and plunge into the darkness for the attack.

American, British, Dutch and French ships supported the strike on what was the leading seaport of Java. It formerly sheltered the Dutch East Indian fleet.

Approaching Soerabaja, American formations of Hellcats, Avengers and Dauntlesses sighted the famous Wilhelmina tower at the mouth of the Mas river and prepared to give more than 14,000 feet into the target.

A signal from Commander Joseph Clifton and American and British fliers began their 300 mile-per-hour plunge.

Refinery First Target
The oil refinery was the first target. Coming out of the dives the Allied planes shot up a Japanese transport plane that flamed to the ground.

Dive-bomber pilot Lt. Robert Ervin, Kansas City, Mo., slid a bomb into the hangar of the nearby Japanese Tandjong Perak airbase. Meanwhile, British planes blasted the Braat works which made Japanese plane parts.

The remaining British and American planes concentrated on the harbor installations. Lt. Robert Lee Cropper of Ocean City, N. D. sent a 2,000 pounder into a Japanese transport.

"I saw Japanese bodies come flying into the air like in a dream," he said. Later hundreds of Japanese were seen jumping into the harbor.

Arkansas Doctor
Shot and Killed
HOPE, Ark., May 24.—(P)—Dr. Walter G. Allison, 75 year old physician recently arrested on a narcotics charge, was shot to death in his downtown office shortly before 11 a. m. today after two federal agents had gone there to question him.

Joseph Bell, chief of the federal narcotics division at Kansas City, said that his deputy, William Schaffer, of the Little Rock office, shot Allison when the physician pulled a gun from his safe and opened fire on them.

New Jeep For
Coast Guard Patrol
TOLEDO, O., May 24.—(P)—A sand and swamp jeep which can carry eight men over soft beaches at 50 miles an hour, has been developed for coast guard shore patrol duty by Willys-Overland Motors, Inc., Ward M. Canaday, president, announced today.

The new vehicle is much the same as the standard model except that it is 12 inches longer, has a lower gear ration, is equipped with jumbo-balloon tires and has a rotary hoisting device which enables it to extricate itself or other vehicles from mud and sand, Canaday said.

Drag Lake for Woman's Body

Wealthy Woman's
Grandson Still Held
For Questioning

DURHAM, N. C., May 24.—(P)—A professional diver was summoned here today from Newport News, Va. to search 60-acre Eastwood lake for the body of Mrs. Edward M. Jewett, 67, wealthy Boonville, Mo., woman who has been missing for two weeks.

An army mine detector was used unsuccessfully yesterday, and officers considered draining the lake but decided instead to call the diver.

Edward Jewett Martin, 24-year-old Charlotte chemist, is being held on an open charge during the investigation. His attorney, Victor S. Bryant of Durham, former legislator, said neither he nor his client had any comment.

Police reports said Mrs. Jewett, who had lived in Charlotte for two years, left with Martin a short time ago for Missouri to inspect her property there. She was reported to have checked into a Boonville hotel May 8 and disappeared May 10.

Detective W. E. Gates said Martin was arrested Saturday after he parked a bloodstained automobile at a garage and added that in his possession were found bloodstained clothing, some tools and woman's personal effects including a purse containing a ration book made out to Mrs. Jewett.

Police Lt. M. M. Thompson said part of a copy of the St. Louis Post Dispatch dated May 10 was found near the lake. He said another part previously had been found in the car.

Police Chief H. E. King said a lifeguard at the lake had identified Martin as the man who on May 14 had been seen there inquiring the location of the deepest water.

Gates said Martin had an unsigned copy of a will by Mrs. Jewett, by which she would have left him a sizable share of her half-million dollar estate.

Martin, 4-F in the draft, formerly attended Duke university and was graduated from the University of Missouri.

Yeoman Rice Home on Visit

Jean E. Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Rice, 1115 West Third street, a recent graduate of the Naval Training school for yeoman on the Oklahoma A. and M. university campus, Stillwater, Okla., has reported for active duty as yeoman third class to the Field Branch, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Cleveland, Ohio, following a leave spent at her home here.

Selection to the specialty school, was made on the basis of feminine Bluejacket's past civilian experience and her recruit training aptitude test scores. The completed course of study included shorthand, typing, filing and general Naval office procedures. The college-slanted course included pleasant periods of social and physical activity.

Yeoman Rice is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and attended Central Business college.

Turns Down Request
To Use Auditorium
MILWAUKEE, May 24.—(P)—Application to rent the Milwaukee auditorium by a group whose spokesman said the principal speaker would be the Rev. Gerald L. Smith, head of the America First party, has been denied, auditorium manager William C. Maas said today.

Maas said members of the board rejected the application of the Rev. Kenneth Goff, of Englewood, Colo., national chairman of the Christian Youth for America organization after Goff said that an address by Smith was planned as a feature of "a youth meeting" June 9.

Pastor's Secretary Found Stabbed to Death

DETROIT, May 24.—(P)—Mrs. Jean Long, secretary to the pastor of the Twelfth Street Evangelical church, was found stabbed to death in the church today.

Police said the pastor, the Rev. N. C. Liesemer, reported discovering the body at 9 a. m. There were several stab wounds in her body, police said.

Mrs. Long, who was about 40 years old, was reported last seen leaving the home of Rev. Liesemer at 8:30 p. m. yesterday.

Mrs. Fairfax's Body Released To Son Today

Brought to Sedalia,
Funeral Thursday;
Daughter's Body Held

The body of Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, found in the Lake of the Ozarks, near Camden, Sunday, April 16, has been released to her son, Andy Grose, of Houston, Texas, who is completing arrangements today for funeral services. The body has been held in a laboratory of the University of Missouri, with that of her daughter, Mrs. Molly Mattie Holland, 36, whose body was found a short distance from that of her mother on Monday, April 17. The body of Mrs. Holland is still being held at the laboratory.

Funeral services for Mrs. Pearl Fairfax will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Ewing funeral home with Rev. Frank Cook, of Smithton, to officiate. The body was brought to Sedalia by Duane Ewing from Columbia this morning.

Mrs. Mae Moser will have charge of the music.

Mrs. Fairfax was born in Cooper county near Ottumwa on December 24, 1884, the daughter of the late John L. and Betty Harmon Hill. She was married to Andrew Grose and to this union two children were born, Andrew Grose, who resides in Houston, Texas, and the late Mrs. Edgar Holland. Later she was married to Willard P. Fairfax, who preceded her in death about ten years ago.

Burial will be in the cemetery at Ottumwa.

Grose, accompanied by Jesse Fairfax, R. F. D. No. 2, Sedalia, a step-son of Mrs. Fairfax, went to Camden Tuesday, where they talked with Mrs. Abbie Woolery, coroner of Camden county, who authorized the release of Mrs. Fairfax's body. No action was taken in obtaining the release of Mrs. Holland, after it was made known by Fred F. Wesner, attorney for Edgar W. Holland, 43, her husband, who is charged with her murder, that his client did not accept the identification as "positive."

Mr. Wesner in speaking of Holland, declared that the removal of the body identified as Mrs. Fairfax, or the body of the other woman, which was identified as Mrs. Holland, if released, would be done against his will, and that of his client.

Served on Property
A "Notice of Levy on Real Estate" was filed late Tuesday with John Ryan, Pettis county recorder, by Sheriff C. R. Bothwell, on real estate property of Edgar W. Holland, to satisfy judgment in the amount of \$3,503.05 in favor of the State of Missouri.

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Wingless Planes
Used in Invasion
SOUTHEAST ASIA HEADQUARTERS, Kandy, Ceylon, May 24.—(P)—Helicopters—the wingless planes able to take off and land almost vertically—are being used in the airborne invasion of Burma by American units, it was disclosed officially today.

The planes are being flown by volunteer pilots especially trained at the Sikorsky factory at Bridgeport, Conn., who arrived in India last January by plane. They have their own ground crews and technicians.

Neither the number of helicopters in use nor the nature of their support of Allied landings in North Burma was disclosed.

Georgia GOP
Group Split
ATLANTA, May 24.—(P)—Two delegations, one casting its lot with the presidential prospects of Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York, will battle in Chicago before the Republican National committee in July for the right to convention seats and ballots.

Naming of two delegations resulted after a resounding rift that split the state convention yesterday into two conventions, each group hurling the challenge that the other could not win recognition in Chicago.

The wide break climaxed a bitter struggle for Republican power in Georgia, involving possible patronage dispensation in event of a party triumph in the presidential election, and disagreement over extent of Negro participation in party affairs.

The split occurred, said Wilson Williams, Republican national committeeman for Georgia, because white leaders were "trying to read the Negroes out of the party."

One convention, predominantly white, named four unopposed delegates-at-large, all white. The other convention, predominantly Negro, elected 14 delegates—seven white and seven Negro—all instructed for Dewey.

Mile-Long Chunk of Appian Highway Falls to Americans

TODAY ON THE War Fronts

LONDON, May 24.—(P)—A predominantly-American force upwards of 5,500 planes bombed Berlin, Vienna and Paris today in what well may be the greatest Allied aerial assault of the war, official announcements and German radio reports said.

The sky fleets—augmented as the day went on by medium and light planes flying out in the evening hours—dumped perhaps 5,000 tons of explosives on military targets from the Atlantic wall to the three capitals.

Up to 2,000 U. S. heavy bombers and fighters soared from Britain for twin attacks on Berlin and German airfields fringing Paris.

Another great armada of Mediterranean air force bombers and fighters swept across the Alps from Italy and battled to the area of Vienna, railroad transport and airplane manufacturing center of southeast Europe, the Berlin radio said.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NAPLES, May 24.—(P)—Tactical planes of the Mediterranean Allied air force were were thrown full force against the Germans opposing the twin offensive in Italy today and first reports showed they destroyed 150 enemy vehicles, and damaged another 150.

ANKARA, May 23.—(Delayed)—(P)—Russia will break off relations with Bulgaria unless "the Bulgars change their policy by midnight, May 25," advices received here by telegraph said today.

These reports said the Bulgars received the Soviet ultimatum in a stern note Monday.

LONDON, May 24.—(P)—For the second time the forces of Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) have driven German troops out of fortifications near Zuzemperk in Slovenia and the Germans have "retreated in panic toward Novo Mesto, the scene of hot fighting for several weeks," a communique broadcast today from Yugoslav Partisan headquarters said.

Russian patrols are probing enemy strength on sectors of the long eastern front, Moscow reported today, but signs of the predicted resumption of heavy offensive blows remained few.

BERN, Switzerland, May 24.—(P)—Italians fear that the Germans may defend Rome, turning it into a battle city, a Vatican City official quoted by La Suisse de Geneva said today, and hunger is increasing in the capital.

There is no longer any railroad traffic in Rome, for all stations even in the suburbs have been smashed, the report said, and Rome virtually has been cut off from the rest of Italy.

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The committee gave no formal explanation of its refusal to sanction a proposed permanent advancement from the rank of colonel of cavalry to major general, but Chairman Chandler (D-Ky.) of the nominations subcommittee said he personally opposed approval because of the slapping incident.

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Poplar Bluff
Fortune Teller Dies
POPULAR BLUFF, Mo., May 24.—(P)—Mrs. Josie Forbes, 72, whose reputation as a fortune teller resulted in thousands of persons seeking her advice on matters of love, finance, business and other problems during the past 30 years, died of a heart attack at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Jackson, her nephew and niece, here.

Awards to President's Son
LONDON, May 24.—(P)—Col. Elliott Roosevelt, commander of an Eighth Air Force photo reconnaissance wing, has been awarded the British CBE (Commander of the British Empire Order), third highest recognition of merit for non-British subjects, for outstanding work in the North African campaign.

Other U. S. Troops Push From East Forcing Germans Into Wide Pocket

By Noland Norgaard

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NAPLES, May 24.—(AP)—U. S. Troops bursting from the Anzio beachhead have seized a mile-long chunk of the Appian way to Rome. The Allied pincer push from the east has breached the Hitler line in the Lir Valley, and in the center, headquarters announced today.

Other Americans striking up from the south have seized Monte Alto, 10 miles north of Terracina, and only 19 miles from Littoria on the beachhead. This shaped a wide pocket for Germans in the whole stretch of mountains and Pontine marshes below the beachhead to Terracina.

American beachhead forces drove ahead powerfully today, a front dispatch said, after breaking through to win a 2,000-yard stretch of the Appian Way within a half-mile of Cisterna, and snipping the railway to Rome four miles below Veltri.

British Ram Nazi Defenses
Their British Anzio comrades meanwhile forced the Moletta river farther west, and rammed into defenses anchoring the Nazi line.

The bag of prisoners for the entire offensive rose to 7,500. (The German high command acknowledged "major breaches" on several sectors of the front.)

The Americans on the lower front advanced 10 miles in 39 hours to take the dominating heights of Monte Alto and push closer to junction with beachhead troops.

The Germans' situation on the main front was potentially grave, especially in the Liri Valley. Their main supply or retreat route is Highway 6 or via Casilina, leading from the valley 65 miles to Rome. The Americans driving out from the beachhead are only 11 miles from this key road.

French-American units attacking north of Pico present a still more immediate threat of cracking the Germans facing the Eighth Army in the Liri Valley.

Whatever enemy forces are holding Terracina and the nearby coastal areas at the southern end of the Pontine marshes, they have only one feasible retreat route—a lateral road through Priverno toward Valmontone—and the Americans who took Monte Alto were last reported only three miles from this road.

No Promotion
For Patton

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Body Of Will Rogers' Son Beside Father
CLAREMORE, Okla., May 24—The body of Freddie Rogers, year-old son of the late Will and Mrs. Rogers who died about 20 years ago, was placed in the vault beside that of his father Tuesday at the Rogers memorial here.

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"What a Friend We Have in Mother" was sung by Shirley Ann Holman. Mrs. J. B. Wilkening and Mrs. J. E. Deuschle gave short talks on dry cleaning. They will give a demonstration of the subject at the meeting to be at Mrs. Cecil Rodgers' home.

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Luck and teamwork are credited by Capt. Robert S. Johnson, 24, of Lawton, Okla., for his success in downing 27 enemy fighters over Germany. He ranks as top combat ace in the European war zone.

The scene is a dinner table. Time—evening of the day on which Captain Robert S. Johnson of Lawton, Okla., had become America's king of aces in this war-toughened air theater by shooting down his 26th and 27th enemy plane. Major General William E. Ketner, chief of the Eighth Fighting Command, entered the dining room to congratulate Johnson. Ketner said, "Johnson, the best thing about the job you have done is not in shooting down 27 planes, but the way you played on the team." Said Johnson, "Without the team, I couldn't have done it, sir."

By Captain Robert E. Johnson
Written for NEA Service HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH FIGHTER COMMAND, Britain.—Shooting down enemy planes is largely a matter of teamwork. There is also more than a little luck involved.

If it hadn't been for the fact that the canopy stuck so that I couldn't open it, I would have bailed out over France in one of my earliest missions. But we will get to that later.

I have been interested in flying ever since I was eight years old. They brought a big air show to my home town, Lawton, Okla. They packed the field with little old biplane fighters and big old biplane bombers. They put on a show. There was one huge dog-fight almost on the ground. Right then and there I decided I wanted to be an Army pilot.

The first time I ever went up in a plane I was 4. It was a little old biplane, with two seats side by side. I soloed just before I was 15. I was going to high school then and working in a cabinet maker's shop after school. I earned \$4.00 a week and spent three of it for flying. After that I got out of school and went to Cameron Junior College where I studied aeronautical engineering.

Didn't Wait For Leads
I arrived in England early in January in 1943. Our first mission was short and sweet. We hit the Dutch coast at 35,000 feet. We went in wide open and came out. It didn't last more than an hour and a half. We didn't even see any fighters.

The first time I got a shot at Jerry was on the next mission. It was the first mission on which we escorted our bombers. It was a huge bomber force for those days—maybe 50 heavies. On the way out we were attacked by eight German planes. I had not seen enough action to be afraid then, I couldn't realize that we were playing for keeps. I just fired at the lead plane and missed him so far it was pitiful.

Then I released the trigger. But it was stuck. The gun kept on firing. I kept on trying to release my gun and the last two German planes flew through them. I didn't know what had happened. I was too busy trying to get back into formation. I didn't claim anything but the pictures showed that my jammed gun had damaged two German planes.

It is lucky I am not superstitious because the first kill came on July 13th—on my 13th mission. We were going on a sweep near Ostend when we saw 12 to 15 Jerries three or four thousand feet below us. I should have waited for my leader to dive on them (fighter warfare is team warfare if you want to live to a ripe old age) but I was too excited to wait. I just rolled over and yelled, "Come with me!" and went down. Jerry blew up.

Thirteen days later—another

that the Germans are through. Some of them seem green these days, of course. But there are still plenty of veterans left.

I got my lucky break on May 8th escorting our heavy bombers to Berlin. I saw a bomber go down and went over to see what had happened. A Messerschmitt 109 dived under me. I rolled over my Republic Thunderbolt and got him. Then I pulled up and my element leader saw two more. He went after them and went along to help. He chased them under a cloud. When he came out there were four Jerries on his tail. I went down to help and got one of them.

Then we rounded up our element and went home. Our gas was getting low. I was glad. It was getting late in the morning and I was pretty hungry.

Mom and Pop and the Car...

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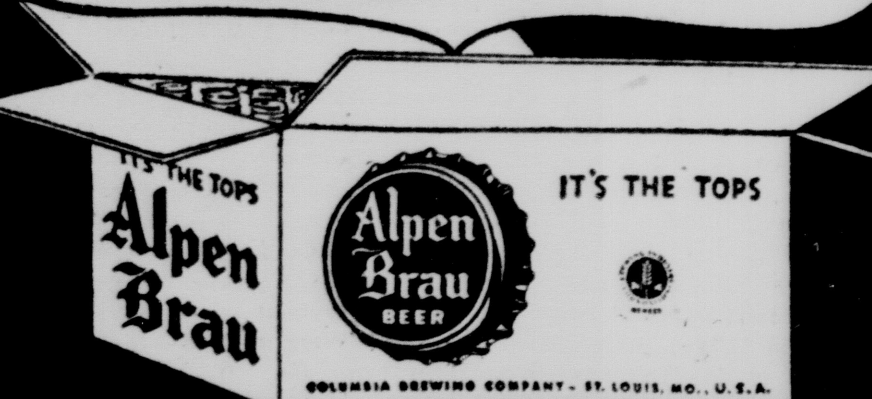
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Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c

Material Behind Stove Oven Catches Fire

The fire departments were called at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon to the home of Glen Swift, 511 West Second street, where some combustible material behind the oven of a newly-purchased second hand gas range, had caught fire while Mrs. Swift was baking a meat roast.

There was no damage other than smoke through the house.

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JEWELRY CO.
217 So. Ohio Phone 822
Est. 1868

Lieut. Racener Held Prisoner

Lieut. Ernest Racener, 22, a pilot of the American air forces in England, reported missing in a raid over Poland on April 16, is a prisoner of the Germans.

Lieut. Racener is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Racener, of Ferguson, Mo., his mother before marriage being Miss Grace Petty, who for a time resided in Sedalia.

Relatives in Sedalia include these cousins, Mrs. Ed Brummett, 1001 South Harrison avenue, Warrant Officer G. W. Petty, somewhere in England, and Miss Louise Petty, employed in the navy department, Washington, D. C. He is a nephew of Mrs. George Emo, Jr., 604 West Broadway.

Lieut. Racener has visited in Sedalia on several occasions.

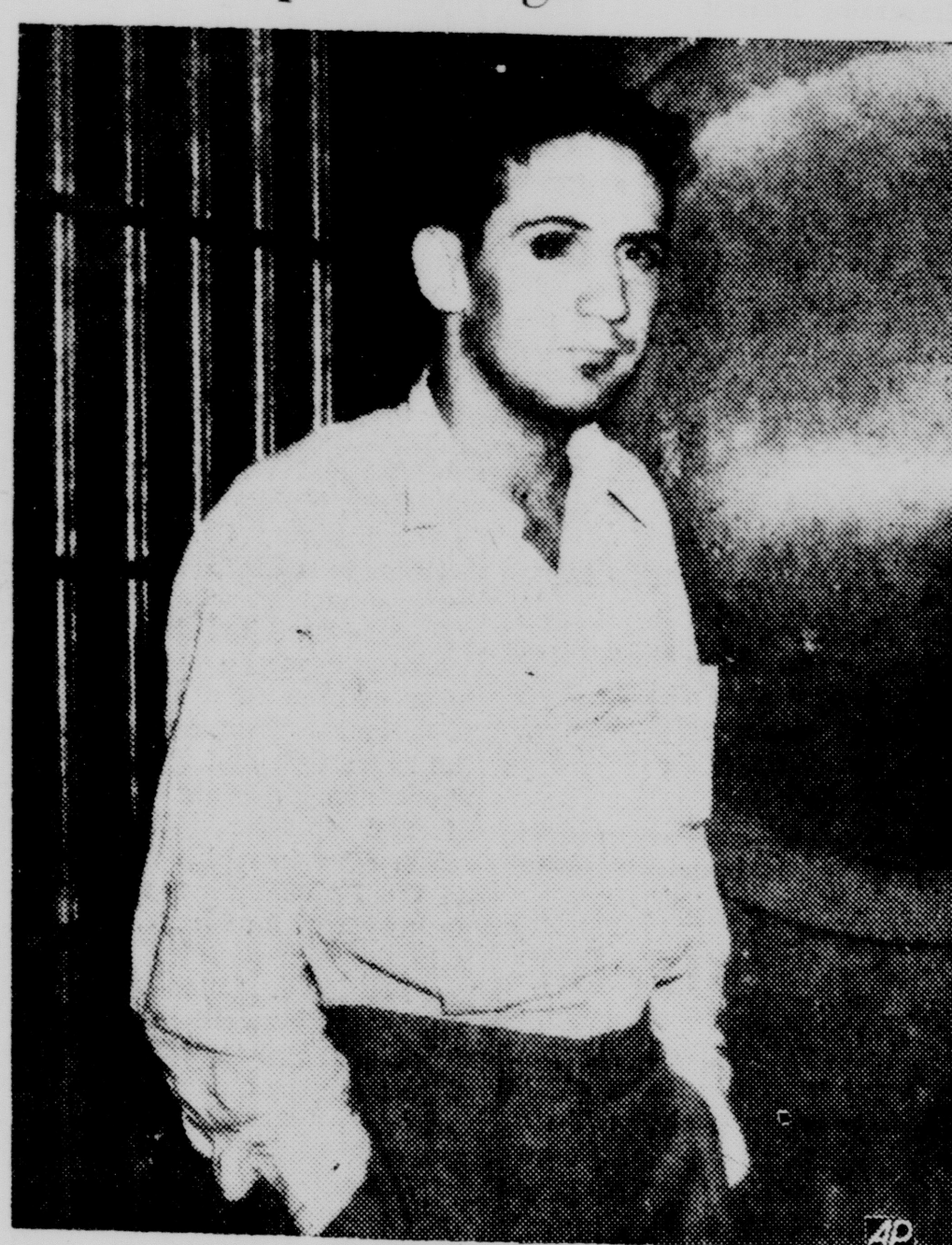
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BEAT HEAT Sprinkle your heat rash irritated skin well with Mexana, the soothing, medicated powder. Cools burn as it soothes itching.

ANNOUNCEMENT Dr. Herbert B. Hunter

DENTIST
has taken over the offices of the late Dr. Charles H. Weaver, Room 241 Phone 1528 Ilgenfritz Bldg. Sedalia, Mo.

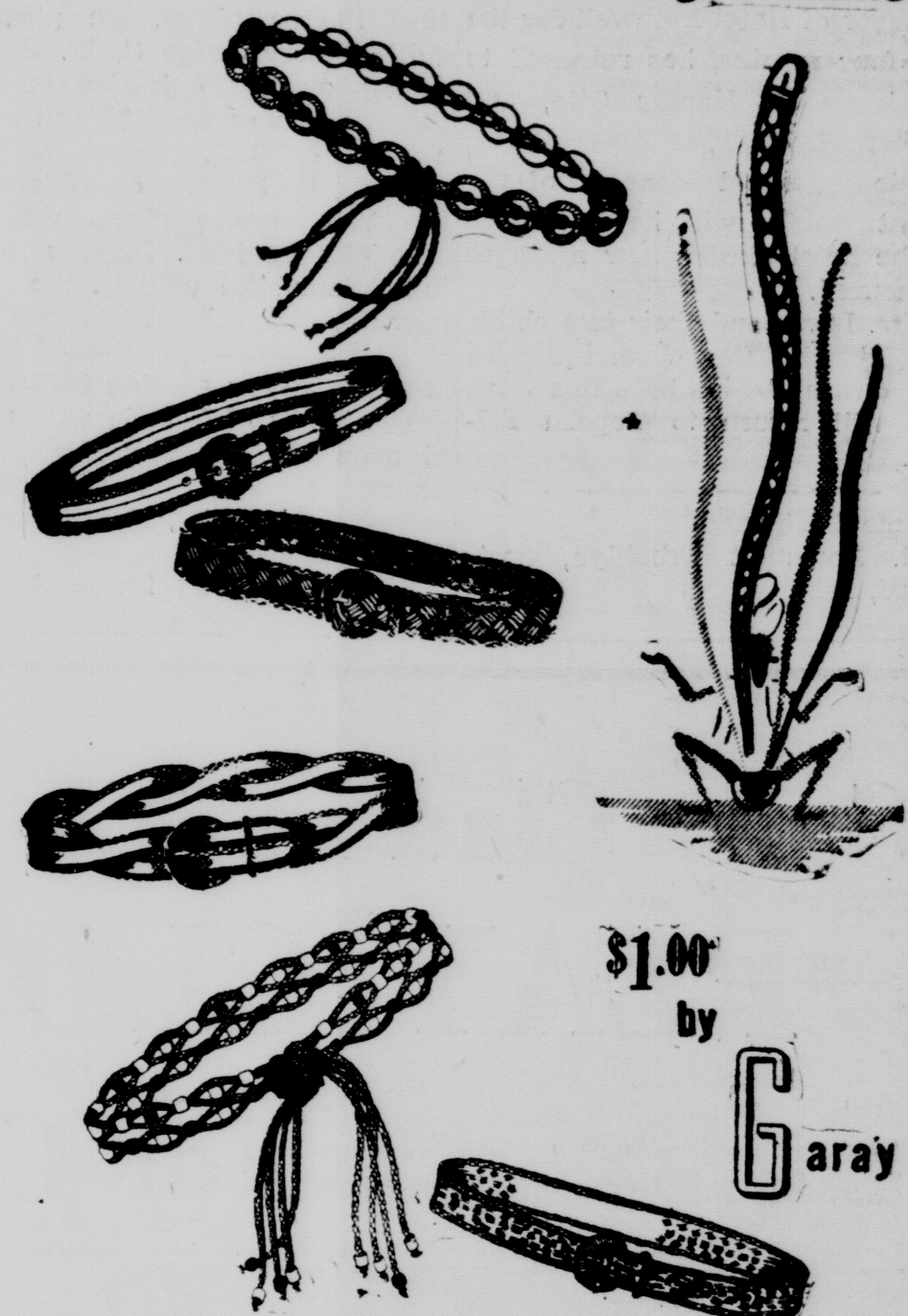
Held on Open Charge



As searchers dragged a lake at Durham, N. C., for the body of Mrs. Edward M. Jewett, 67, wealthy Boonville, Mo., woman, missing 12 days, police hold her grandson, Edward Jewett Martin, 24 (above) a Charlotte, N. C., chemist, in jail at Durham on an open charge. The missing woman was last seen May 10 in Boonville where she and Martin were on a business trip. (AP) Wirephoto.

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Belt magic to enhance any costume



Any little dress can become a very special little dress with the addition of the right belt. These new belts are braided and knotted in wonderful ways, hand detailed, so cool, so light, you hardly know you are wearing them. Of cotton or rayon, they come in colors to repeat the loveliest shade in a favorite print, to match bright or pastel tones and in strictly modern multicolors. You'll be delighted with the variety of styles.

E.W. Flower
DRY GOODS COMPANY

MEMORIAL DAY

Our office will be closed May 29th and 30th



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COMMUNITY NEWS from— Green Ridge

Mrs. J. B. Myers

The May meeting of the H.H.H. Sunday school class of the Presbyterian church of Green Ridge was held at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wadleigh. A contributed dinner was served at noon. At 2:30 o'clock, the business was presided over by the president, Mrs. L. H. Wadleigh. Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaugh lead the study of the book of Deuteronomy. The ladies worked on rug rags for the minister's wife, Mrs. J. G. W. Kirschner. Those present were Mrs. Mary Iman, Mrs. C. H. Brown, Mrs. Walter Brown, Mrs. Myrtle Morris, Mrs. L. L. Ream, Mrs. Stella Barnett, Mrs. J. B. Myers and Mrs. E. E. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Edmundson had as week end guests Mrs. Edmundson's sister, Mrs. Herbert Price and Mr. Price of Kansas City, their mother, Mrs. H. T. Bass, of LaMonte, and her brother, Benny Thurburn, of Unionville.

Sgt. Gordon Brownfield left Thursday morning for Fort Bragg, N. C., where he will continue training with the U. S. Army. Sgt. and Mrs. Brownfield came to Green Ridge a week ago from the state of Washington and have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Rance Ray. Mrs. Brownfield remained for an indefinite visit at the home of her parents.

Kenneth Gregory, who has been in training at Camp Blanding, Fla., arrived in Green Ridge recently to spend his ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gregory and family. He will go from here to Fort Meade, Md.

Mother's day was observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Myers with Mrs. H. A. Elliott as honor guest. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Asa Elliott of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dump, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Harbit and children, Russel and Sue Harbit.

Mrs. Wilford Acker was hostess recently to members of the Home Builders class with Mrs. Gerald Smith as assistant hostess. The devotional was in charge of Mrs. Acker, who conducted a Bible quiz. During the business meeting, Mrs. Smith was elected secretary and plans were made for a variety food sale to be held in the near future. A social hour concluded the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stewart of Boonville were week end guests of their son, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stewart.

Miss Marvalee Beach, student of Park college, Parkville, returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Beach, for an indefinite stay because of ill health.

Mrs. J. B. Myers spent the day in Warrensburg recently visiting her daughter, Polly Myers, student at C.M.S.T.C.

Miss Helen Francis Boltz, student at C.M.S.T.C., Warrensburg, had a guest Thursday her mother, Mrs. E. H. Boltz.

Mrs. Glen Heck of Kansas City spent the latter part of the week with friends in Green Ridge. She was accompanied home by her son, Glen Edwin Heck, who has been in this city attending school.

Mrs. A. N. Baker drove to Warrensburg Thursday and spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Bartholomew.

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Your hair dresser 34 years.
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Tek Nylon
Tooth Brush **13c**
Former 50c Value

MUM
60c DEODORANT
38c

55c LADY ESTHER
Four Purpose Cream
27c

Lysol
30c DISINFECTANT
17c

EVE IN PARIS
Face Powder
69c

Why Pay More?

Citrate Magnesia 20c Bottle Fresh 13c	BAYER ASPIRIN 15c Size Original Package of 12 7c
MENNEN BABY POWDER 25c Borated Baby Powder 14c	Krank's Brushless SHAVE CREAM Full Pound Jar 75c VALUE 29c

Small Print—Big Value!

\$1.00 Vitamins Sparkolite 69c	25c 4-ounce Castor Oil 14c
\$1.00 Dr. Miles NERVINE 83c	\$1.00 for Eczema ZEMO 69c
65c Antacid BISODOL 39c	100 Tablets MILK MAGNESIA 27c
\$2.00 Tonic S. S. S. \$1.49	\$1.00 Vaginal Norforms 69c
1/2"x5 yds. Tape ADHESIVE 6c	\$1.00 for Moths LARVEX 79c
30c Sweeney's POISON WHEAT 19c	2"x10 Yards GAUZE BANDAGE 8c
35c Phosphorus Rat Paste 19c	50c Massengil POWDER 36c

BarnPaint
GALLON Armstrongs heavy bodied pre-war special bright red Barn Paint. Formula on can.
\$1.39

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ever use alcohol for stiffness, sore back, muscular fatigue? If so, we would like for you to Try 90-SECOND RUB
Liquid analgesic, stainless, greaseless. An old-fashioned formula containing winter-green, oil pines, mustard, camphor, turpentine in an alcohol base. Try it—you will be amazed at results.
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STAR'S COUPON
25c WHITE SHOE POLISH
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STAR'S COUPON
LIFEBUOY 10c SOAP
WHY PAY MORE? 4c

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WHY PAY MORE? 2c

STAR'S COUPON
CLABBER GIRL BAKING POWDER
10 oz. Save More at Star's **6c**

P. E. Gosser Returns To Kansas City

P. E. Gosser, who served as manager of Hotel Bothwell for the last four months, has returned to his home in Kansas City, and Herbert H. Lantz, of Topeka, Kas., assistant general manager of the Sweet Hotels, will be in charge of the hotel until a new manager is secured.

Mrs. Lantz and their two children, Dorothy Lee, 7, and Sandra Lou, 6, are visiting here this week and will return to Topeka Friday.

Game Postponed
St. Louis at Brooklyn, postponed, rain.

Fined For Using 1943 Automobile License
Albert Friedman, St. Louis, was arrested today by State Highway Trooper Peter Stohr, and charged with driving his automobile with a 1943 license plate. Friedman had not obtained the 1944 license plates. He pleaded guilty before Judge C. W. Bente, sitting ex-officio justice of the peace, and was fined \$5 and costs a total of \$13.70.

The "dead line" on obtaining the 1944 license plates was at midnight Tuesday. Persons driving automobiles without the new tags are now subject to arrest.

Sedalia Banks Closing Notice
The banks of Sedalia will close at noon Monday, May 29th, and remain closed until Wednesday morning, May 31st, in observance of Memorial Day.

Sedalia Clearing House Ass'n.

Arrested Charged With Informing Enemy
STOCKHOLM, May 24.—(P)—Three employees of the Skf ball-bearing works at Goteborg have been arrested on charges of supplying information to a foreign power about the size of orders and destinations, Aftonbladet said today.

Two of the employees were Swedes and the other was described as a foreigner. All worked in the company's order department, and Aftonbladet quoted one as saying he furnished information to the unnamed foreign power for "ideological reasons."

Game Postponed
Cincinnati at New York (night) postponed, rain. (Will be played tomorrow night with Thursday afternoon game to be rescheduled for later date).

Mrs. Fairfax's Body Released to Son Today

(Continued From Page One)

A general execution was issued by the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Pettis county, dated May 22, 1944.

A judgment was rendered in the Pettis county circuit court on December 23, 1941, in favor of the State of Missouri on delinquent sales tax, against Edgar W. Holland and William A. Greer, successor, doing business as the Holland Motor Co. Previous attempts to collect the judgment were made, but were dropped by the state until the past week.

The execution states in part: "I have on the 23rd day of May, 1944, levied upon and seized, all the right, title and interest of the above named, Edgar W. Holland, of and to the following real estate * * * in which was described the Holland farm seven miles northwest of La Monte. The farm is in the names of William Edgar and Mattie M. Holland."

Sheriff Bothwell this morning stated he is also attaching personal property in the amount of the said judgment, and will have a listing of the articles attached within a short time.

Frank W. Hayes, special assistant attorney general under Roy McKittick, state's attorney general, is representing the state in obtaining the execution to levy upon Holland's properties.

Mr. Wesner, Holland's attorney, was out of the city today and could not be contacted for comment on the procedure taken by the state.

Patrol Still Working
State highway patrol members are still in the county conducting a "routine investigation". The patrol officers are questioning neighbors of the Hollands, and making further checks on information being given them from day to day.

Captain J. F. Shaw, acting for Colonel M. Stanley Ginn, superintendent of the patrol, remains in Sedalia and is directing the investigation.

Caldwell Leads Florida Primary

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 24.—(P)—Millard Caldwell of Tallahassee, 47-year-old native of Tennessee who has never lost a contest for public office, will be Florida's next governor.

Caldwell, for eight years representative from the state's third congressional district before retiring to law practice, handed veteran Congressman R. A. (Lex) Green of Starke the first defeat of his long political career in yesterday's runoff Democratic primary.

Unofficial returns from all but 107 precincts gave Caldwell a lead of 39,959 votes and a total of 200,547 to Green's 160,588.

Democratic nomination is the equivalent of election in Florida.

Personals

Mrs. D. P. Dyer, 524 South Grand avenue, left Tuesday morning for Chicago to visit her daughter, Mrs. Edgar McQuiddy, Mr. McQuiddy and their daughter, Patty.

Burl Raymond Sammons, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sammon, 405 North Stewart avenue, Bob Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Heber Hunt, 916 South Harrison avenue and Bob Shelton, grandson of Mrs. C. O. Goodnight, 119 East Seventh street, all of whom enlisted in the navy, left Wednesday for Kansas City and will be accompanied to Kansas City by Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Sammons and Miss LaVerne Broyles, 801 West Main street.

Mrs. R. E. McGinis, 723 North Grand avenue and Miss Lola Rodgers, 406 West Seventh street, left today for Kansas City where they will spend several days visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Marjory Chipman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chipman, 717 West Sixth street, left this morning for San Antonio, Tex., where she will spend about two weeks visiting friends.

Mrs. T. W. Cloney II and daughter, Madge, left Tuesday for Hollywood, Fla., to visit Mrs. Cloney's sister, Mrs. Merrill Nevins.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Farren, Jr., and three children, spent Sunday here with Mrs. Farren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee C. Redmond and other relatives.

Pvt. Harry L. Rasa of Camp Mackall, N. C., paratrooper, is spending a 12-day furlough with his father, A. W. Rasa, 219 East Saline avenue, and friends. Pvt. Rasa left for service with local national guard battery in 1940.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bloss of Grand Island, Neb., are visiting Mrs. Bloss' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pendleton, 236 South Quincy avenue.

Cpl. Mitchell Hooper, who is stationed at Camp McCain, Miss., is on a furlough and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Hooper, 1002 East Broadway.

Mrs. Beulah Wendleton, 602 East Broadway and Mrs. Abe Gould of Kansas City, left Sunday for Dallas, Texas, for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Jones. Mrs. Jones is a daughter of Mrs. Wendleton and a sister of Mrs. Jones.

Studio Employee Mortally Beaten

HOLLYWOOD, May 24.—(P)—Clad only in a man's shirt, Mrs. Ruth Evans, 31-year old film studio employee, was found mortally beaten on a residence porch.

"I've been to a party up the street and my clothes are in the house," Police Officer J. D. Temple quoted Mrs. Evans as saying last night.

Before she died, she said, "I must have been in an accident," and directed officers to a house a block away where Temple said they found the door open, a radio blaring and Carl Bedford, bartender, asleep inside.

Temple quoted Bedford as saying he and Mrs. Evans had been to a party and that upon their return to his house they consumed a quart of whisky before he retired. That, he told Temple, was the last he saw of Mrs. Evans. No charges were filed against Bedford, asleep inside.

Police Capt. D. R. Patton said Mrs. Evans recently moved into a hotel after separating from her husband, Frank Evans.

Sedalia's Go to Kansas City to Give Blood
Rev. and Mrs. Ervin Kelley, 2212 South Ohio avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Huffman and Miss Kathryn Huffman, Eleventh street and Osage avenue, were in Kansas City Tuesday to see Mrs. Huffman's brother, Floyd Hogan, who is critically ill with pneumonia in the general hospital. Rev. and Mrs. Kelley gave blood for transfusions and were contacting relatives and friends for more blood which the doctors told them is needed.

Divorce Granted
A divorce was granted today to Mrs. Flecia Jean Page from James W. Page and the plaintiff was awarded the care and custody of their minor child, James William Page.

Kansas City Cash Grain
KANSAS CITY, May 24.—(P)—Wheat, 125 cars; unchanged; No. 2 dark hard, nominal \$1.62 to \$1.72; No. 3, nominal \$1.61 to \$1.71.

Corn: 27 cars.
Oats: 2 cars.
Rye: \$1.20 1/2.

Traffic Cases In Police Court
Several cash bonds were forfeited in police court this morning when traffic violators failed to appear before Magistrate C. W. Bente.

Cleo Monical, Los Angeles, Calif., one dollar for making a left

Obituaries

Mrs. Theresa Conway
Mrs. Theresa Conway, of Boonville, died at St. Joseph's hospital this morning.

Mrs. Conway is survived by a daughter, Miss Kathryn Conway, who is employed at the postoffice in Boonville, and a son, Alphonse Conway, of Dallas, Tex., formerly with the claims department of the Missouri Pacific in Sedalia.

Funeral services will be held in Boonville Friday morning.

Joseph Allee Irey

Joseph Allee Irey passed away at the Fritsimmons hospital in Denver, Colo., May 17 after an illness of three years.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Irey and was born near Tipton, Mo., on November 2, 1914. He spent his childhood and early manhood on a farm in Monticue county, moving later with his parents to Fortuna, where he attended high school, graduating in 1933.

He united with the Baptist church early in life and later moved his membership to Fortuna. Joseph enlisted in the United States Navy in 1934 and was honorably discharged October 14, 1938. While in the service of the Navy he served aboard the U. S. S. Arizona and in the Bremerton, Wash., navy yards. He ranked as a first class bugler and had a clean service record. He was awarded a good conduct medal and his gun crew aboard the ship was awarded Marksmanship E. Guns were his hobby.

In November, 1940, he joined the national guard at Sedalia, Mo., and with his company was sent to Fort Jackson, S. C., where he was stricken with tuberculosis. He was sent to Fritsimmons hospital in Denver, Colo., and on January 27, 1942, was given a disability discharge.

Surviving besides his parents are a brother, George, Jr., of the home and three sisters, Mrs. J. H. Gallagher, of Kansas City, Mrs. Velma Theiss, of Hynes, Calif., and Mrs. Roy Ceranek, of Downers Grove, Ill.

Funeral services were held Sunday at two o'clock at the Baptist church in Fortuna with the Rev. Ernest Waite and the Rev. J. W. Laws officiating. Burial was in the Clarksburg cemetery.

Pallbearers were Harold Moser, Claude Lutman, John Carter, Earl Devine, Lloyd Dorman and Carl Blankenship. Flower girls were Mrs. Hancel Hodel, Mrs. Karlton Imler, Mrs. Raymond Sterling, and Mary Lee Irey, all cousins of Joseph.

The funeral services were in charge of the American Legion.

Wm. Cranfill Service

Funeral services for William Cranfill, 82 years old, who died Sunday afternoon at his home on route 5, were held at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Gillespie funeral home with Rev. Ralph E. Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, officiating.

Mrs. R. H. Robb and Mrs. F. O. Withers, sang: "Abide With Me," and "No Night There." Mrs. Charles Patterson was the accompanist.

Pallbearers were: R. W. Dow, Albert Runge, C. O. Hudson, Lee Dow, C. C. Crain and J. R. Dunham.

Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Oklahoma Fire Fighters Quit

McALESTER, Okla., May 24.—(P)—Fourteen firemen, the city's entire force with exception of Chief Jack Grantham, quit their jobs today after the council declined to meet their demand for establishment of a \$150 salary minimum.

The men walked out of the city's one central station at 8 a. m. without comment or disturbance. City Manager C. A. Bentley, who came down to find only Grantham on duty, immediately called in five policemen to serve as firemen in the emergency. Bentley said he had no comment on the resignations.

Two weeks ago the firemen presented a petition to the city council stating that because of increased living costs the \$135 minimum monthly pay then in effect was inadequate and asking it be boosted to \$150. The council tabled the petition at that time but met Monday night and increased the minimum to \$140. The firemen then served notice they would quit to seek better paying jobs if the \$150 minimum was not set up by 8 a. m. today.

Bentley said it was impossible for the city to pay the higher wages because of inadequate revenue. Capt. Adolphus Burt, one of the men who resigned, said they could not afford to continue in the fire department when there were other jobs available on which they could support themselves and their families.

Late Market Reports

Livestock, Grain, Produce, Securities

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, May 24.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Hogs: salable 18,000; total 20,000; very slow; demand for all weights and grades very narrow; market generally steady; good and choice 180 to 270 pounds \$11.75 to \$12.25; small lots up to 400 pounds down to \$11.25 and below; good and choice 150 to 170 pounds \$12.00 to \$13.00; and medium grade 150 to 220 pounds \$11.50 to \$12.75; good and choice 350 to 550 pounds \$10.60 to \$10.85; approximately 22,000 unsold, comprising about 85 per cent. support hogs.

Cattle: salable 13,000; calves: salable 500; good and choice fed steers and yearlings steady to weak; price dividing line standing around \$15.00; very active trade on better grades; top \$17.15, new high on crop; nine loads \$17.10; yearlings \$17.00; heifer yearlings \$16.50; heifers strong to shade higher; beef cows firm; canners and cutters steady at \$9.50 down; bulls steady, with weighty sausage offerings to \$12.25, and heavy fat bulls to \$13.50 and better; most light and medium weight fat bulls to \$13.50 and better; most light and medium weight steers \$10.00 to \$11.50; vealers firm to 25 cents higher at \$16.00 down; stock cattle very scarce.

Sheep: salable 2,500; total 4,500; little sold early; load good and choice Colorado fed woolled lambs held above \$15.50 and another load fed woolled western lambs held above \$15.35; deck common to low-medium light woolled lambs \$13.25 to \$13.35; good and choice fed shorn lambs held above \$14.25; shorn ewes unchanged at \$7.00 on scattered late natives.

St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., May 24.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Hogs: 1,500; holdover from Tuesday 20,000; market slow; good and choice 180 to 270 pounds steady at \$13.70; other weights and classes in light supply; mostly steady with some weakness on hogs; odd lots good and choice 270 to 325 pounds \$11.25 to \$12.25; 180 to 170 pounds \$12.10 to \$12.50; 140 to 160 pounds \$11.10 to \$12.10; few \$12.15; 120 to 140 pounds \$9.50 to \$11.15; 100 to 120 pounds \$7.50 to \$9.55; bulk good sows \$11.25; stags \$11.00 down; liberal holdover in prospect.

Cattle, 2,200; calves, 1,200; trading slow; a few steers, some mixed yearlings and heifers and bulls steady; otherwiselower undercurrent prevailing; good and choice mixed yearlings and heifers \$15.25 to \$15.50, with some held higher; good beef bulls \$12.00 to \$13.50; medium and good sausage bulls \$10.00 to \$11.50; vealers steady; good and choice \$13.25; medium and good \$12.75 to \$14.00; nominal range slaughter steers \$11.75 to \$17.00; slaughter heifers \$10.00 to \$16.25; stocker and feeder steers \$9.75 to \$14.00.

Sheep, 1,500; early supplies consist of about one deck clipped lambs and 100 head in smaller lots; market opened steady on few good and choice native spring lambs at \$15.00 to \$15.50.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, May 24.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Hogs: salable and total 8,000; slow; 270 pounds and down steady; heavier weights and sows steady to 10 cents lower; good and choice 180 to 270 pounds \$13.50; 280 to 350 pounds \$10.25 to \$9.50 to \$11.25; odd lots \$10.00 to \$10.25; estimated holdover 5,000.

Cattle: salable 3,000; total 3,500; calves: salable 500; total 800; largely steady on all classes; spots easier on sows, and common to medium bulls; fairly active on slaughter steers; good and choice grade largely \$15.00 to \$16.35; load 1,155 pound \$16.50; medium steers \$13.25 to \$14.50; good and choice mixed yearlings \$15.00 to \$15.90; odd head good cows \$12.00 to \$12.75; common and medium \$9.00 to \$11.00; good beef bulls to \$13.00; light run stockers, mainly medium and good steers \$11.50 to \$13.00.

Sheep: salable 4,000; total 18,000; active; spring lambs strong, other killing classes steady; top native spring lambs \$15.75; numerous truck in lots \$15.50; medium and good woolled lambs \$14.00 to \$15.00; clipped lambs with No. 2 and 3 skins \$12.50; odd lots shorn ewes \$6.75.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, May 24.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Live poultry receipts: 18 trucks, 3 cars; firm for young stock, steady on others; prices unchanged.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, May 24.—(P)—Butter: Firm; receipts 826,143; market unchanged.

Eggs: Receipts 21,893; steady; market unchanged.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—(P)—Geese (all weights) young 27.1c; old 8c; turkeys, old (under 18 pounds) 33c; 18 to 22 pounds 32c; over 22 pounds 32c.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, May 24.—(P)—Close

	High	Low	Close	Close
WHEAT—				
July	1.62 1/4	1.60	1.61 3/4	1.61 3/4
Sept.	1.60 1/4	1.58 1/4	1.59 1/4	1.59 1/4
Dec.	1.60 1/4	1.58 1/4	1.59 1/4	1.59 1/4
May	1.61 1/4	1.59 1/4	1.60 1/4	1.60 1/4
OATS—				
July	.77 1/4	.75 1/4	.76 1/4	.77 1/4
Sept.	.72 1/4	.71 1/4	.71 1/4	.72 1/4
Dec.	.71 1/4	.70 1/4	.70 3/4	.71 1/4
RYE—				
July	1.11 1/4	1.06 1/4	1.08 1/4	1.11 1/4
Sept.	1.11 1/4	1.07 1/4	1.09 1/4	1.11 1/4
Dec.	1.13 1/4	1.09 1/4	1.11 1/4	1.12 1/4
May	1.15 1/4	1.12 1/4	1.13 1/4	1.15 1/4
BARLEY—				
July	1.22 1/4	1.21 1/4	1.21 1/4	1.23 1/4
Sept.	1.13 1/4	1.12 1/4	1.13 1/4	1.13 1/4

Closing of Leading Stocks

	Close	Close
American & For. Power	4 1/4	2 1/4
American Smelt & R.	37 1/4	37 1/4
American Tel. & Tel.	158 1/4	158 1/4
American Tobacco, B.	63 1/4	64 1/4
Anacosta	25 1/4	25 1/4
Atchafalpa S. & F.	66 1/4	67 1/4
Atlas Power	59	60
Aviation Corp.	3 1/4	3 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	58 1/4	58 1/4
Chrysler Corp.	83 1/4	85 1/4
Coca-Cola	114 1/4	114 1/4
Curtis, Wright	5	5
Curtis-Wright A.	15 1/4	15 1/4
Du Pont De Nemours	145	145 1/4
Eastman Kodak	162	163
General Electric	35 1/4	35 1/4
General Foods	42 1/4	42 1/4
General Motors	55 1/4	55 1/4
International Harvester	73 1/4	73 1/4
International Shoe	37 1/4	37 1/4
Kennecott Tel. & Tel.	14	13 1/4
Kennecott Corp.	31 1/4	31 1/4
Libbey, McEn & L.	74 1/4	74 1/4
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	76	76
Mid-Con. Petroleum	26	25 1/4
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	25 1/4	25 1/4
Montgomery-Ward	43 1/4	43 1/4
Nash-Kelvinator	12 1/4	12 1/4
National Cash Register	15 1/4	15 1/4
North American Co.	17 1/4	17 1/4
Packard Motor	4 1/4	4 1/4
Pepsi-Cola	49 1/4	49 1/4
Phillips Petroleum	43 1/4	43 1/4
Purcell	23 1/4	23 1/4
Radio Corp. of America	9 1/4	9 1/4
Reynolds Tob. B.	23 1/4	23 1/4
Sears Roebuck	89 1/4	89 1/4
Skelly Oil	39 1/4	39 1/4
Southern Calif. Edison	22 1/4	22 1/4
Standard Oil Indiana	38 1/4	38 1/4
Studebaker Corporation	15 1/4	15 1/4
Swift & Co.	30 1/4	31
U. S. Steel	51 1/4	51 1/4
Westinghouse El. & Mfg.	98 1/4	100

Some Leaders On the Curb

	Close	Close
American Light and T.	17 1/4	17 1/4
Arkansas Nat. Gas	3 1/4	3 1/4
Arkansas Nat. Gas A.	3 1/4	3 1/4
Cities Service	15	15 1/4
Cities Service, Pl.	110 1/4	111
El Bond and Sh.	8 1/4	8 1/4
Ford Motor Can A.	20 1/4	21
Ford Motor Ltd.	4 1/4	4 1/4
Nat. Tel. Hse.	1 1/4	1 1/4
South Royal	9 1/4	9 1/4
Standard Oil Ky.	17 1/4	17 1/4

turn on Ohio avenue; Bernard Freeland, SAA, one dollar for double parking; Henry Newell, Marshall Junction, running a red light, Fourth and Ohio avenue, \$2 bond.

Convention Activities

JEFFERSON CITY, May 24.—(P)—Missouri's blind pensioners who now get \$25 monthly from earmarked property taxes would continue to receive the same amount from the same source under a proposal approved yesterday by the constitutional convention.

The legislature fixed a levy of three cents on each \$100 valuation of property to finance the pensions under a 1920 constitutional amendment setting up the levy of one-half to three cents.

A committee recommended eliminating the 1920 amendment, giving the legislature room to bring the blind under the Social Security Act so the federal government could match state funds.

L. E. Meador (R), Springfield, lost by two votes an attempt to do away with the earmarked funds by guaranteeing continuation of pensions at no less than present level and leaving to the legislature the job of providing money for them.

Present funds total about a million dollars and provide pensions for nearly 3,000 totally blind people.

Creede Fisher Files Petition for Divorce

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Iron constitutes 40 per cent of the earth. The next most abundant element is oxygen, comprising about 28 per cent. Then comes silicon, magnesium, nickel, calcium, aluminum, and the rest.

'Marriage' Between Women Annulled

LOS ANGELES, May 24—(P)—A "marriage" between two women, which endured for 24 days before the "wife" discovered the other's sex, was annulled Tuesday by Superior Judge Henry M. Willis.

Plaintiff in the action was Shirley Mae Boston, who said she went through a marriage ceremony in Las Vegas in 1942 with Jerry Boston, 30, whose true name, she said, was Tremia Boston. She testified Jerry told her they should not live together as man and wife immediately, and that she did not know the other was a woman until so informed by Jerry's sisters 24 days after the ceremony.

Jerry's whereabouts, she added, are unknown.

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Dr. Harry S. DeVore, who is characterized by hard work and Christian intelligence, will be inaugurated as the nineteenth president of Central College on May 25 in Fayette, Missouri. Central College, Missouri's largest private four year liberal arts college, is Alma Mater to over 3,000 graduates.

New Stokley 4-H Club Organized

Stokley Busy Bees 4-H club organized recently at the home of Mrs. Earl Clevenger.

The following are officers: President, Nadine Clevenger; vice president, Delmar Fisher; secretary, Gene Williams; treasurer, Fern Clevenger; reporter, Mary Calhoun; game leader, Galen Smith; parliamentarian, Doris Eichholtz; song leader, Mrs. Williams.

Other members are Billy Elwell, Larry Williams, James Faulconer and Ronald Fisher.

Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be at the school house June 14.

German War Prisoner Makes His Escape

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 24—(P)—A German war prisoner escaped from a work detail at Camp Robinson Tuesday, the FBI field officer here announced.

The prisoner, Bruno Behrens, made his way into a heavily wooded sector nearby and guards had found no trace of him tonight.

Behrens was described as being about 39 years old, five feet four inches tall and weighing about 155 pounds. He was wearing a khaki shirt and blue trousers. The FBI said he speaks German, French and Polish but no English.

Deferment Of Two Weeks To "Red" Skelton

HOLLYWOOD, May 24—(P)—A two-weeks deferment has been granted Richard (Red) Skelton, actor, by his selective service board, his radio studio announced Tuesday. Skelton is now scheduled for induction June 7 unless further deferments are granted.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Yugoslav Patriots Destroy Supply Trains

LONDON, May 23—(P)—Yugoslav patriot army is attacking in Dalmatia and Croatia and has destroyed 13 troop and supply trains in blows at the German life-lines, Marshal Tito's headquarters announced today.

As the patriots seized the initiative, the Nazi command apparently subordinated all else to violent attempts to throw the Yugo-

Ceiling On Ice Cream To Hold Until August

WASHINGTON, May 24—(P)—Ice cream won't be any cheaper this summer, not before August 23 anyway. OPA Tuesday extended until that date the maximum ceiling prices set last February.

Slaves back from the main communication lines, the greatest military prizes in all the Balkans fighting.

Wives Get the Leftovers

Custom dictates that a Hindu husband eat his meal first before his wife can touch any food. She serves him first and what he desires to leave is her share. The women eat apart from the men even on festive occasions.

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PORCH and DECK PAINT Gal. \$3.20 Qt. \$1.00	UTILAC ENAMEL Gal. \$4.00 Qt. \$1.25 Pt. 75c 1/2 Pt. 45c	UTILAC VARNISH STAIN Gal. \$3.90 Qt. \$1.10 Pt. 70c 1/2 Pt. 40c
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\$2.00 S. S. S. Tonic \$1.39

60c Alka-Seltzer 49c

30c Campho-Phenique 19c

50c Pepto-Bismol For upset Stomach 29c

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25c Black Draught 12c

60c Dr. Caldwell Syrup of Pepsin 39c

50c Unguentine for burns 34c

35c Sloan's Liniment 19c

50c Sodium Fluoride lb. 23c

4-lbs. Calcium Arsenate 49c

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1-LB. LONDON Purple 31c

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WASHINGTON, May 24—Election of ex-senator from Michigan, ex-OPA Administrator, Prentiss Brown as chairman of the giant Detroit Edison company has started some people checking on the number of other New Dealers who have stepped out of the Roosevelt administration to join big utilities corporations.

Also, it has made some people wonder why the business of joining utility companies doesn't work both ways. In other words, when Prentiss Brown steps out of the government to head Detroit Edison, why should Wendell Willkie be criticized for stepping out of Commonwealth and Southern to run for president?

Here is a list of former officeholders under Roosevelt who have stepped into lush utility jobs:

William Hickey, former chief of the registration division of the Securities and Exchange Commission, now president of the powerful United Corporation, backed by J. P. Morgan.

John Burns, former counsel of the SEC, now a director of United Corporation.

William Yeager, former Reconstruction Finance Corporation official, now president of International Utilities, a director of Dominion Gas and Electric company, and vice president of General Water, Gas and Electric company.

George Mathews, former commissioner of the SEC, now vice president of the Northern States Power company.

Note — Leo Crowley became head of Standard Gas and Electric, but continued as head of Federal Deposit Insurance, and now also as Foreign Economic Administrator.

Ladies of Congress

No matter what happens next November—whether FDR is re-elected or whether the House of Representatives goes GOP — it looks as if a lot more ladies would grace the next congress. It also looks as if the Democrats would treble their number of congresswomen.

Most of the female glamor in the house today is furnished by Republicans. As against the sole woman Democrat, hard-working Mrs. Mary Norton of New Jersey, there are five Repubs: — scintillating Clare Luce of Connecticut, reliable Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers of Massachusetts, genial Miss Jessie Sumner of Illinois, fastidious Margaret Chase Smith of Maine, and Winifred C. Stanley of New York, who will not stand for re-election because her district has been re-districted.

Probable additions to the ladies of congress will be two named Mrs. Douglas, both Democrats.

Mrs. Douglas No. 1 is Mrs. Melvyn Douglas, wife of the movie actor who has now fought in two wars. She became famous on the stage as Helen Gahagan and, campaigning under that name, she won the Democratic nomination in California's 14th district last week.

Mrs. Douglas No. 2 is Mrs. Paul Douglas, wife of the well known professor at the University of Chicago and daughter of Chicago's famous sculptor, the late Lorado Taft. Professor Douglas, who ran for the senate in 1940, later enlisted as a private in the Marine Corps, though he was fifty years old, and after about one year of training became a lieutenant. He is now in the South Pacific.

Mrs. Paul Douglas, a very alert lady, will run against the Chicago Tribune's candidate, Representative Stephen A. Day, who in 1933 sent a telegram to Hitler congratulating him on his rise to power. She is well known in Illinois and has a good chance to win. Miss Gahagan is almost a sure bet in California.

End of Dies Committee

The CIO's score against the Dies committee in recent primaries has several congressmen quaking in their boots. Reactionary moguls who thumbed their noses at CIO are now going home to cultivate local CIO leaders.

At first, when Joe Starnes, ranking majority member of the Dies committee, was defeated in the

Action Photos—Yank Fighters Blast Germans from Italian Farmhouse



Infantrymen skirt a mine field along barbed wire fence as they approach Italian farmhouse sheltering German troops.



Taking cover in a shallow ditch, Yank fighters pour stream of lead from their rifles into German-held farmhouse.



Protected by covering fire, infantryman boldly runs up to house, tossing grenade as he passes. Germans were blasted out.

Alabama primaries, congress colleagues thought it was a fluke. Then, when Chairman Martin Dies himself quit cold, they got worried.

Now, the defeat of California's Representative John M. Costello, least active member of the committee, finally has convinced them that the CIO has an effective political organization.

This, plus Dies' decision to retire means the end of Dies committee. Representative Wirt Courtney of Tennessee, who will be the ranking member after Dies, Starnes and Costello have gone, voted against funds for the committee in February. Another member, Representative Herman Eberhart of Pennsylvania, has consistently opposed the committee majority.

Important in the defeat of California's Costello was the fact that his opponent, Hal Styles, a Warner Brothers radio announcer, had conducted a radio program called "Help Thy Neighbor," as a part of which he had secured jobs for

35,000 people in seven years. This is a job-getting record better than most congressmen have.

The manager of the broadcasting station, Harry Maizlish, conceived the idea of running Styles for congress and managed his campaign. Costello had been needing some of the motion-picture people and they felt they needed a new congressman.

In Alabama also, Representative Starnes' defeat resulted partially from the one-man newspaper crusade of young newsman Carroll Kilpatrick of the Birmingham Age-Herald.

Brewster Axed
The navy has decided to discontinue the Brewster Aeronautical corporation will be the first to feel the axe of discontinued war production.

This is good news for the country in that it means that war losses of airplanes are less than expected and that the navy will not need so many replacements. Actually our losses in the Pacific

have been about fifty percent less than the estimated.

Also, the news is extremely significant for the airplane industry, because Brewster will be the first big plane company to be turned loose on its own to manufacture commercial planes if it can get priorities. If it can't get them, it will have to fold.

The Chance Vought company, also making Corsairs (the same type of plane as Brewster), will continue operation, largely because they were the chief pioneers of Corsairs. Also, the Goodyear company will continue, they being about to start on a big new navy plane.

But the Brewster company will now have to fight either for new war contracts or also for priorities for commercial planes. It will be an uphill fight.

NOTE — The Brewster plant near Philadelphia, built with U. S. government funds, will be taken over by the navy and will work on "modification" — in other words, planes that need minor changes. The other Brewster plants around New York will finish up what they are working on and then fold.

William Allen White, the author, who runs the Gazette at Emporia, Kas., as a side issue, has been making a hot fight on the business methods of the state administration, intimating strongly that there was gross laxness of all sorts that would be uncovered by an expert accountant. In an editorial he declared that he would like to be state accountant for awhile ascertaining he would serve without salary. Gov. Bailey has taken him at his word and has offered him the appointment as state accountant without pay, and White has shown signs of being "game."

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Rector of Sedalia were registered at the Missouri building at the World's Fair in St. Louis Monday.

Prof. Horace Stites, superintendent of the Pilot Grove public schools, was in the city today, on his way to Warrensburg. The professor expects to make Sedalia his home in the near future.

The Missouri Pacific is testing a new switch signal lamp. One of them has been burning, night and day, in the local baggage room

without refilling or trimming since May 16 and is giving evidence of being a perpetual burner.

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Just Town Talk

AN EMPLOYEE AT THE MISSOURI Pacific SHOPS HAS FOR SEVERAL YEARS PLANTED FLOWERS AROUND THE GROUNDS THEY HAVE BEEN COLORFUL AND PRETTY AND BROUGHT FORTH MANY COMPLIMENTS FROM EMPLOYEES AND VISITORS BUT THIS YEAR HE DECIDED TO PLANT INSTEAD OF FLOWERS VEGETABLES IT WAS GOING TO BE A VICTORY GARDEN ABOUT ALL THE ENCOURAGEMENT

HE GOT WAS A FROWN AND ONE PERSON TOLD HIM IT WAS A MISTAKE IT WAS NO PLACE FOR A VEGETABLE GARDEN THEY WOULDN'T GROW THEY WOULDN'T FIT INTO THE LANDSCAPE AND HIS BIGGEST BOOSTER NOW IS THE PERSON WHO TOLD HIM IT JUST WOULDN'T WORK AT ALL I THANK YOU

DETAIL FOR TODAY

Cadre



When three or four men from an organization are sent out to form the nucleus of a new outfit, this is called a CADRE. Men who leave on a CADRE usually can expect a raise in grade, even if they do dislike leaving the bunch, and can expect further promotion if they stay on the ball when they start training the recruit members of the new outfit. CADRES usually arrive at some brand-new camp, and find nothing but desolation in the still unfinished areas. The three pictured above probably are wishing they were back on KP with the boys from the old outfit.

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Grateful to WAC For Giving Blood

SEDALIA ARMY AIR FIELD—First Lt. James K. McWilliams, assistant supervisor of ground training at the Sedalia Army Air Field, a Troop Carrier Command Base, is grateful to a sister-in-law for her aid in restoring his wife's health.

Mrs. McWilliams lost a serious quantity of blood in childbirth at a local hospital, and a call for a blood donor was rushed to the Station Hospital.

Sgt. Mildred Hopkins, of the WAC Detachment, volunteered to donate blood for a transfusion after which the patient's condition was reported as improved.

Enlisted in 1943

Sgt. Hopkins enlisted in the Womens Army Corps in June 1943. She received her basic training at Daytona Beach, Florida, and has been stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field, since August 16, 1943.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Hopkins, R. F. D. No. 2, Clarks Summit, Pa., Sgt. Hopkins is a graduate of Newton Township high school, and the University of Pittsburgh.

She is a member of the Pi Lambda Theta, Phi Alpha Theta, and the Pittsburgh Teachers association.

Prior to her induction, Sgt. Hopkins taught school at the Herron Hill junior high school.

Holding one of the key positions in the Unit Personnel Office at the Sedalia Army Air Field, Sgt. Hopkins joined the Womens Army Corps to help speed the day of victory.

A brother, Roy A. Hopkins is

Officers Elected By Knights Of Columbus

JEFFERSON CITY, May 24—(AP)—Robert M. Guion of St. Louis Tuesday was elected state deputy of Knights of Columbus, defeating Amos A. Govers of St. Louis on a 75 to 68 vote.

Other officers elected by the state convention included: Ed Saale of Chillicothe, treasurer; Ben Gillis of Kansas City, who succeeded Ed Thompson of St. Joseph as state advocate; Leo Aholt of Union, state warden, and Andy Powers of St. Louis, state secretary.

Freezing Stops Landslide

When a landslide threatened during the construction of Grand Coulee dam, workmen drove six miles of pipes into the earth, filled them with ice-cold brine, and froze the landslide.

stationed at Sheppard Field, Texas.

OUR NAME STANDS FOR BETTER FUNERAL SERVICES AT PRICES ANYONE CAN AFFORD

Gillespie Funeral Home

George Dillard
9th and Ohio Phone 175
Lady Attendant

Are you badly in need of a GAS RANGE?



see the new war model ROPER

CONSERVES FOOD, FUEL AND TIME

The Roper war model gas range is being manufactured in limited number for those housewives struggling along with ranges that are beyond repair and those who have no ranges.

If either description fits you, apply at your War Price and Rationing Board for a Stove Purchase Certificate. If the board agrees that your need exists, you will be eligible to purchase one of these new Roper gas ranges. You'll like it.



City Light & Traction Co.
11th & Ohio Phone 770

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

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NOTICE

- TO -

ALL LAUNDRY CUSTOMERS

We Will Accept No Laundry for Four Days
Beginning Friday, May 26th and Ending Tuesday, May 30th

As a result of the war effort all modern laundries are receiving a much greater volume of business than normally. We, as a result of heavy civilian and military requirements, now find ourselves with so much work in our plants that we must take steps to rectify the situation. In order, therefore, to finish and deliver the work already received and in order to be able to give better service in the future, WE WILL ACCEPT NO LAUNDRY FOR FOUR DAYS, BEGINNING FRIDAY, MAY 26th AND ENDING TUESDAY, MAY 30th.

Our routemen will collect no laundry and our offices will be closed except for telephone calls which will be accepted for laundry to be picked up beginning Wednesday, May 31st. All commercial flatwork from hotels, hospitals, restaurants, etc., will be cared for as usual during this period except on Tuesday, May 30th when our entire plant will be closed.

We appreciate the patronage the people of Sedalia are giving us and particularly the cooperation we are receiving when our service is not up to the usual standard.

Our offices will reopen and our routemen will be back on the job Wednesday, May 31st and we will continue serving both the public and the Army in the best possible manner. We hope you will continue sending us your laundry and dry cleaning and we know you will bear with us if our service is somewhat slower than usual.

DORN-CLONEY LAUNDRY & DRY CLEANING COMPANY

PHONE 126

THE BEST LAUNDRY & DRY CLEANING COMPANY

PHONE 2100

TAKE AWAY THE LADY

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LINK AND NORMA

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THEY found a pleasant room, and sat crosslegged in native fashion on a mat. Link tried his hand at ordering the wine. "Budoshu," he told the wrinkled innkeeper. This seemed to get results, although the innkeeper responded with a rush of words too fast for Link's prison-gained vocabulary.

"He says he has a fine brand of white sake," Norma translated. "You will like it."

"Hey, shall I get the idea you're a toper?"

"Certainly not. I'm an authority on food and wine, though."

Link said approvingly, "Now you're sweeping me off my feet. Don't tell me you can cook."

"Fried eggs, steaks, corned beef and cabbage."

"That's murdering me."

She looked at him shyly. He thought her eyes were suddenly moist.

"Link," she said, "last night at Azaraski's dinner, when you asked me if I like cornbread, I almost burst into tears."

"So did I," Link confessed. "You know, I was fishing to find out where you were from. When you said I should call it corn dodger, I just let myself go. From that moment, I was your dog Rover."

"Were you ever in Oklahoma, Link?"

"I was in Tulsa, once."

"Why, Broken Arrow is only a few miles from Tulsa? Broken Arrow, where I was born."

"Sure. And Muskogee and Sapulpa and Connelleville and Coweta and Claremore." Link sighed deeply. "Funny how good just the names from home can sound."

"Link, you'll make me cry." "I'll join you," he said. "We'll bubble together."

THEY had a sacred moment together. The innkeeper brought the wine, hot and delicious in the little pots which bubbled cheerily when the wine was poured. They drank the wine. The moment continued sacred.

"Want to rest?" Link asked finally.

"I think so, please," Norma said. They stood up and walked to the door. Link took Norma's hands, both of them in his own. "Last night," he said, "I had to apologize for kissing you. I want to kiss you now, without having to apologize."

Norma said, "You did not have to apologize last night."

"I wanted to," he said, then wondered why the devil he was stopping to talk about it.

He kissed her gently, and she responded. This kiss was all he had known it would be, like nothing he had had before. Finally Norma put her head against his chest and said, "Link!" softly.

She went into the other room to rest, to try to take a nap.

Link strode out on the veranda. He grinned at Azaraski. He grinned at the world. Then he went around the corner, and Tilda Courtwright was sitting there on a mat.

"Link," Courtwright said, "did you tell Norma her brother is dead?"

Link fell sickeningly and it was a long time before he seemed to touch bottom. "Courtwright," he said grimly, "better you should have had a sword and run me through."

Courtwright looked down at the floor for a time.

"Men are such gallant idiots," Link said. "Norma has to know this."

Then, as if she was avoiding any kind of a discussion with him, she arose and joined Azaraski.

(To Be Continued)

Dr. Jennie Dunkin, 117 East Broadway, gave her annual treat for the Melita day nursery children today with 24 boys and girls enjoying special refreshments of Dixie ice cream cups and cookies.

Brenda—Will You Step Out With Me Tonight?

I know I've been an awful grouch not taking you any place lately. But after standing all day at my new job, my feet darn near killed me with callouses and burning. Now I've reformed—or rather my feet have—tried anything that seemed to draw the pain and fire right out so fast—and the way it helps soften callouses is nobody's business! Been able to get some extra overtime money—so what do you say, let's go dancing tonight. You can step on my ice-cream feet all you want.

Society and Clubs

Mrs. Ernest Gillespie and Mrs. Allen O'Bannon entertained twenty-five guests at a luncheon, followed by cards, at the Heard Memorial club house Tuesday afternoon.

Guests were seated at one table for the luncheon. Bouquets of flowers, attractive place cards and tapers carried out the color scheme of pink and white.

Following the luncheon cards and rummy games were the diversion of the afternoon. Mrs. Herbert Seifert received trophy for high score in bridge. Mrs. Henry C. Salveter for second high and Mrs. Ed Hoffman third. Mrs. Paul Lange received the trophy in the rummy game.

Juanita B. Curry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Curry, 1601 South Barrett avenue is among 240 students at Washington University, St. Louis, who will receive degrees at commencement exercises Thursday, at 9:30 a. m. in the Field House. She will receive a diploma in nursing.

A party for Mrs. Raymond Sands, who before her marriage Tuesday was Miss Dorothy Shepard, was given by teachers of the beginner's department of the First Baptist church, at the home of Mrs. R. E. McGinnis, 723 North Grand avenue, Monday night.

Games were played during the evening after which refreshments were served by the hostess to the following: Mrs. Sands, Miss Reba Loofbourrow, Miss Helen Hargrove, Miss Rosa Robertson and Miss Helen Thomas.

A gift was presented the bride from the group.

Miss Nadine Vansell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Vansell, 501 East Twenty-fifth street, and Olen Boatner of the navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boatner, 1509 East Fourth street, were married at the home of the Rev. Ervin Kelley, 2212 South Ohio avenue, Monday at 9:00 p. m.

Mr. Boatner, who has been stationed in Florida, is on leave, and will soon return to his post.

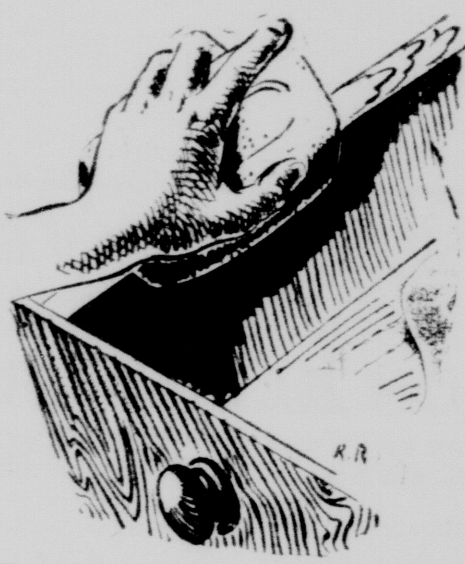
Mrs. Boatner will continue to reside here with her parents.

Mrs. C. L. Carter, president of Sedalia Garden club, was hostess to the garden club members at a party at her home, 700 South Beacon avenue, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The first activity of the afternoon was an auction sale of plants of all varieties—some in attractive containers and others ready to be set out. Mrs. R. L. McKean, auctioneer, was appropriately costumed in slacks and blouse and carried a cane hooked over her arm. A tiny mustache added quite a realistic tone to her make-up. Her clever side remarks provoked much

Anti-Stick Trick for Drawers

Chest, pantry or cupboard drawers that swell and jam during the warm weather can be cured of their stubborn habits. Just apply a film of liquid wax or rub a bar of soap over the points of friction, particularly on the underneath "trolleys" over which drawers slide and at the top side towards the back.



laughter, and fun ensued as she sold to the highest bidder African violets, fine varieties of iris, packages of choice seeds, many shrubs and other flowers, and plants as well as lovely bouquets. One that especially brought a "fancy price" was a vase filled with various pastel shades of mountain columbine. Another container was filled with yellow columbine. Auctioned also were many attractive flower containers, which helped to net a substantial sum.

This money is to be used to defray expenses of the coming flower show in June to be held at the new armory. At the close of the auction sale, the guests were invited to Mrs. Carter's garden where tables were set and punch and tea cakes were served.

Mrs. Carter was assisted by the following ladies: Mrs. Herbert Seifert and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, general chairman; Mesdames Fred K. Shafer, C. H. Lindstrom, T. R. Phelan, Charles Hanley, Lawrence Geiger, Fred King, J. W. Anderson and George W. Chambers, assistants; and the following circle chairmen—Mesdames T. E. Donaldson, A. W. Johns, J. C. Saunders, L. P. Howard, T. W. Rucker and Frank S. Leach.

Lieut. (j. g.) Arthur McQuiddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McQuiddy of the Harrison apartments who left Sunday evening to report to the west coast after a ten-day leave, was honor guest at several parties while here.

He was accompanied to Kansas City by Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Sparr, 1102 West Fourth street, and Miss Martha Mitchell of Kansas City who was a week-end house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sparr and daughter, Mrs. Lyle Sullivan.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cox, 1011 West Seventh street, entertained a group of close friends at the Sedalia Country club, and Saturday evening Dr. and Mrs. D. P. Dyer, 524 South Grand avenue were hosts at a party at their cabin southwest of Sedalia in honor of Lieut. McQuiddy and Miss Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparr entertained at a 10:30 o'clock breakfast Sunday morning at the Country club. During his leave Lieut. McQuiddy flew to Chicago to visit his brother and sister-in-law, Mr.

and Mrs. Edgar McQuiddy and daughter Patty.

Miss Kathryn Vogt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vogt of Glensted and Pvt. Norman Akins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burney Akins of Fortuna, were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon, May 16, by the Rev. E. B. Woods.

A shower and charivari were tendered the bride and groom Thursday night at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

The bride is employed at the Tweedie war plant in Versailles, and Pvt. Akins is stationed at Camp McCoy, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bultemeier of Smithton entertained the members of the Sunshine class of the Lake Creek church at their home Wednesday evening.

A business meeting was held and it was decided to hold the next meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eichholz with Mrs. Roderic Demand assisting.

Refreshments were served to the following, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Schlobohm and Elwood, Mr. and Mrs. Roderic Demand, Sylvan, Gail and Linda, Mrs. Lena Bultemeier, Bonnie and Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eichholz, Lois and Shirley, Sgt. and Mrs. George Teter and Glenda, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Monsees, Phillip and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Page and Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bultemeier and Charles.

Mrs. Bultemeier was assisted in entertaining by her sister, Miss Murial Geischen.

Mrs. Margaret Morrison, 1222 East Sixth street, entertained at a party Friday afternoon in honor of the birthday anniversary of her son, Ray Joe Morrison.

Games were played during the afternoon with awards going to Shirley Manns and Bobby Leslie.

The pink and white birthday cake and ice cream were served to the following guests: Dorothy and Shirley Manns, Joan Marie and Joyce Ann Shirley, Jean and Jeanette Askern, Dolly Ann and Eleanor Lawson, Virginia Leslie, Thelma Gordy and Jenny Lee Pirtle, Darrell and Harold Manns, Jimmy Stivers, Jr., Bobby Leslie, Dale Atkinson, Jerry Strain and Jerry Wayne Lawson, Ray Joe's grandmother, Mrs. Joe Weyant.

Church News

The Service Circle of the Broadway Presbyterian church will not sew in the Service building this week because of the Bible school which is being conducted there.

great grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Owens, Mrs. G. D. Lawson, Mrs. Gus Shirley, Mrs. C. G. Estabrook, Miss Patricia Eastabrook, Mrs. J. O. Stivers and Mrs. Ethel Pugh. Assisting Mrs. Morrison in serving was Miss Estabrook and Mrs. Pugh. Ray Joe received many nice gifts.

Californian Promoted to Lieutenant Colonel
Marvin Edwards Kay, AC, California, Mo., has been promoted from a major to a lieutenant colonel, according to an announcement made by the war department.

Births . . .

Daughter, born to Lieut. and Mrs. L. R. Land, 312 West Broadway, at 5:25 o'clock Tuesday evening at Bothwell hospital.

Daughter to Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Roscoe O. Detraz, Houstonia, born at Bothwell hospital Tuesday.

Son born to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Schupp at Bothwell hospital at 1:58 o'clock this morning.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Sumner, Portland, Ore., on May 2, 1944. The baby has been named David Thomas Sumner, Jr. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Steele, 322 East Jackson and Mrs. D. T. Sumner who resides with her son and wife in Portland, Ore. The mother of the baby

was formerly Miss Lucille Steele of Sedalia.

Sedalia Youths Pass Naval Examinations
Jimmy Leslie, son of Mrs. Lon E. Leslie, 1003 East Sixteenth street, and Ernest Baker, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Baker, Fairacres, have passed their examinations for the A. S. T. R. P. in the navy, in Kansas City. They were accompanied to Kansas City by Mr. Baker.

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THE GRAND ROMANCE OF A REGULAR GUY AND A SWEET GAL!

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SPENCER TRACY
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In The Picture You've Been Waiting For!
"A GUY NAMED JOE"
WITH
WARD BOND
VAN JOHNSON
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Color Cartoon and News

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Attractive Dressy Sandal in White
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Temple Stephens Co.

105 WEST MAIN

Specials Friday, Saturday and Monday

"In accordance with the statement issued by the ministers of our city that the churches will be open for prayer on the day that the invasion is launched, we will close our stores from 12 noon to 3 p. m., on that day to give our employees the opportunity to participate in this "D" Day Devotion.

FLOUR T. S. BEST BRAND 50-LB. SACK	\$1.98	PRUNE PLUMS NO. 10 CAN	49c
TEMP-TATION COFFEE 1-LB. BAG	23c	LIBBY'S DEEP BROWN Beans CASE 24—17-oz. Cans.	\$2.89
DRINKWELL COFFEE 1-LB. BAG	19c	VAN CAMP'S TENDERONI 2 BOXES	15c
SMUCKER'S GRAPE JAM 16-OZ. JAR	18c	I. S. Wheat pops 4-OZ. CELLO BAGS 2 FOR	9c
PURE LARD 2 LBS. FOR	33c	BONNIE LASSIE COOKIES PER LB.	10c
BLOCK SALT 50 LBS. WHITE	45c	I. S. Motor Oil 1-GALLON JUG	45c
T. S. CHICK RATION MASH 100-LB. SACK	\$3.59	T. S. Egg Mash 100-LB. SACK	\$3.49
HOUSE PAINT WHITE or COLORS GALLON	\$1.89	SUPER RED BARN PAINT GALLON	\$1.49
4-HOUR Enamel PER QUART	89c	CLEAR VARNISH or VARNISH STAIN QUART	79c
LINSEED Replacement OIL FOR PAINTING GALLON	\$1.49	Turpentine PER QUART	39c
SWAN SOAP Large Bar	10c	SPRY 3-Lb. Can	69c
		LIFEBUOY 3 for	20c

TEMPLE STEPHENS CO.

105 WEST MAIN

Wayne Richardson's SUPER MARKET

Food That Satisfies at Prices That Satisfy.
2401 West Broadway CASH ONLY
Plenty of Free Parking Space

25 LBS. NISE AND WHITE FLOUR	\$1.15	Smithton Sweet Cream BUTTER	Lb. 46c
25 LBS. EXPANSION FLOUR	\$1.15	MEADOW GOLD BUTTER	Lb. 45c
Swansdown Cake Flour	29c	Pint Jar Jack Sprat Salad Dressing	22c
HOME GROWN STRAWBERRIES		Pt. Jar Miracle Whip Salad Dressing	29c
Fresh Carrots	15c	All Sweet Oleo	23c
New Potatoes	28c	Parkay Oleo	23c
Mustard	13c	Cremo Oleo	24c
Qt. Glass Jar Sauerkraut	24c	Good Luck Oleo	24c
10c LOAVES TAYSTEE OR WONDER BREAD	3 for 25c	L.B. PKG. FOLGERS COFFEE	Lb. 29c
1-Lb. Jar Welch Orange Marmalade	23c	MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE	Lb. 34c
Qt. Jar Jack Sprat Apple Butter	27c	Jack Sprat Coffee	Lb. 29c
No. 2 Cans Tomatoes	19c	Lee Coffee	Lb. 31c
No. 2 Cans Cream Corn	25c	Rice Krispies	2 boxes 25c
No. 2 Cans Green Beans	25c	Wheaties	2 boxes 23c
Kerosene	11c	Sunnyland Laying Mash	100 lbs. \$3.44
Phillips 66 Regular Gasoline	Gal. 14c	Sunnyland Growing Mash	100 lbs. \$3.75

Ration Free!

BEIGE and WHITE CAUCHOS

Bare-foot comfort in this T-strap casual hit that gives your foot plenty of room to "breathe"! All sizes.

SAGE'S



OUR STORES OPEN ALL DAY MONDAY, MAY 29th—CLOSED ALL DAY TUESDAY, MAY 30th MEMORIAL DAY!

HOT WEATHER BARGAINS

How about enjoying warm weather with a picnic lunch in your own back yard—Try it, I'm sure you'll be pleased and the kiddies will love it. Make Howard Roberts your headquarters for picnic supplies—

SUNSHINE POTATO CHIPS	Lb. 16c
Paper Plates—2 pkgs.	16c
Paper Napkins—2 pkgs.	16c
Cudahy's Develed Ham—3-oz. can.	16c
Heinz Oven Baked Beans—17-oz. jar	16c
8-oz. Mustard—2 jars	16c
3-oz. Crown Stuffed Olives—29c value	21c
8-oz. Kraft Velveeta—25c value	21c
Hi-Ho Crackers, large box—25c value	21c
14-oz. Del-Monte Catsup	21c
Qt. Mustard—2 jars	25c
Tall can J. S. Pork and Beans—2 cans	25c
5-oz. Vienna Sausage—2 cans	25c
16-oz. jar Peanut Butter	25c
Pickle and Pimento Loaf—lb.	29c
Macaroni and Cheese Loaf—lb.	29c
Frankfurters—lb.	29c
Skinless Weiners—lb.	29c
Armour's Treat—12-oz. can	35c
Cudahy's Tang—12-oz. can	35c
Creamo Mayonnaise—qt. jar	49c
AGED CHEDDAR CHEESE	Lb. 33c

GOOD SOUND OLD—
POTATOES
100 Pound Bag When Packed **1.99**

SMALL MICHIGAN NAVY BEANS	5 lbs. 35c	CANNING VALUES	
100-LB. BAG	\$6.99	Pre-War Jar Rings, 4 doz.	19c
12-oz. Pkg. Rice—2 boxes	19c	Thrift Jar Lids, 2 doz.	19c
5-lb. Bag Pancake Flour	19c	Kerr Jar Lids, 2 doz.	19c
Elbow Macaroni—3 lbs.	19c	Kerr Regular Jar Caps, doz.	19c
Egg Noodles—1-lb. pkg.	19c	Ball Vac-Seal Jar Caps, doz.	19c
3-lb. box Table Salt—3 boxes	19c	Parawax, 1-lb. can.	19c
2-lb. Can Tabler Girl Baking Powder	19c	Pen Jel, 2 pkgs.	21c
25-lb. Howard Roberts Best Flour	99c	Sur-Jel, 2 pkgs.	21c
50-lb. H. R. Best Flour	\$1.95	Certo, lg. bottle	21c
25-lbs. Pillsbury's Best Flour	\$1.14	Mason Jars—Pints complete, doz.	59c
25-lbs. Gold Medal Flour	\$1.14	Mason Jars—Quarts complete, doz.	69c

Pre-war Formula Fly Spray WITH PYRETHUM—

Quart Jar	39c
Gallon Jug	89c
Stock Spray—gallon jug	89c

BALE TIES 500 bundle **\$2.99**

Howard Roberts Stores
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Special Values for Thursday, Friday, Saturday

1-Announcements

7-Personals
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SELLING OUT? Sell by public auction, Ralph Stuart, auctioneer, Phone 69-F-23, Sedalia, Missouri, Route 4. Reverse charges.

10-Strayed, Lost, Found

STRAYED—Yearling Hereford heifer, E. M. Green, Hughesville.
STRAYED—Black steer weight 500 or 600 pounds. Between Smithton and Sedalia. Call Sedalia phone 2047.

\$10 REWARD — for information leading to return of black and white English Shepherd female dog, 4 white paws, white ring around neck, white tip on tail. Phone 3731-W or 676.

11-Automotive

11-Automobiles for Sale

1940 FORD—De Luxe, radio, heater, phone 1905.

GOOD USED CARS—15th and Ohio. Archie Decker.

1934 FORD coach. Good motor. Fair tires. 2199 after 6.

1938 CHRYSLER sedan, good rubber, 808 East Broadway after 6.

1935 MASTER De Luxe Chevrolet coach, fair tires. Phone 33-F-23.

1936 DE SOTO—Coupe, 5 excellent tires. St. Francis Hotel, Phone 3000.

1941 FORD COACH; 1939 Ford Coupe, 1937 Chevrolet, 4 door, 1937 Chevrolet pickup, 1935 Chevrolet coupe, 1931 Chrysler 4 door, good tires, 1921 Pontiac, 1937 Plymouth 4 door, 1935 Chevrolet 4 door, 1419 South Limit. Phone 4216, or 4166.

16-Repairing—Service Stations

COMPLETE VULCANIZING, Tire and Battery Service, Cleaners, naphtha and stove gas, Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio. Phone 3282.

17-Wanted Automotive

WANTED—late model car. Phone 2196.

GOOD CLEAN CAR—good tires, 1935-1940 model. Write description and price. Phone number. Write Box 533, Clarksburg, Mo.

11-Business Service

18-Business Services Offered

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S. Osage. Phone 854.

SEWING MACHINE SERVICE—Adjusting, repair all makes. 225 South Kentucky.

WILL GRIND LAWNMOWERS—with electric machine. 703 Lafayette, Phone 3667.

FUNLEY ELECTRIC COMPANY—contracting, house wiring, motor repair service. 220 West 4th. Phone 104.

MACHINE WORK—Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri. Homer Hall, 205 South Osage. Phone 766.

WASHER, VACUUM CLEANER SERVICE, parts, wringer rolls, dust bags, all makes. Burkholder Maytag, 109 Ohio. Phone 114.

PERMANENT WAVES—Machine \$3.00 up. Machineless \$4.50 up. Cold waves \$10.00 up. Only standard supplies used. May-Belle Beauty Shop, 122½ West 3rd. Phone 824.

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SINGER — New Singer electric sewing machines for rent. All makes of sewing machines repaired. We buy used machines. New machines for sale. A Singer representative is in Sedalia regularly. Write Singer Sewing Machine Company, 106 East High, Jefferson City, Missouri.

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32-Help Wanted—Female

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IV-Employment

32-Help Wanted—Female

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33-Help Wanted—Male

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48-Horses, Cattle other Stock

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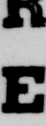
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Relents After Spanking Girl

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Quincy Take Two Couples In Home

KANSAS CITY, May 24—(P)—A Kansas City father who Tuesday morning gave his 14-year-old daughter an old-fashioned spanking for bringing home an 18-year-old husband relented today and invited the couple and two other youngsters who made it a wedding four some to stay in his home "until we can figure this out."

The bride, Lorene Quincy, and her husband, Merl C. Carlson, have settled down comfortably in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Quincy and the other couple, Tom Wigger, 17, and his bride, the former Mary Sherrow, 15, also are established in the home.

Quincy, a night-shift war worker left a note for the two young married couples today, reading: "Dear kids—daddy is awful sorry. Please stay here until we can figure this out."

Mrs. Hiram Sherrow, mother of the young Mrs. Wigger, said today that she had known the marriage of her daughter was to take place, but that it happened sooner than she expected. She said she thought it was "pretty cute of them." Mrs. V. L. Roeder, mother of Tom Wigger, said she was not certain whether the par-

Schoolboy's Dream Comes True



(USAAF photo from NEA)
Schoolboy's dream of being the teacher, with a class of real grown-ups hanging on his words of wisdom came true when the young Italian youngster pictured above was chosen to teach his native language to 15th Army Air Force crewmen. His "blackboard" is side of big B-24 Liberator bomber.

ents would seek to have the marriage annulled on the grounds that the children were not of age.

Judge Tells of Marriage
Probate Judge Frank T. Barkis of Paola, Kas., who married the youngsters Saturday night, said today a man who gave his name as W. O. Wigger and who said he was the father of Tom Wigger (Mrs. Roeder said later her son's father is dead) appeared before him with the two couples at the double ceremony.

Barkis said "Wigger" gave the girls' ages as 18 years and said that his "son" was 19 years old adding that he gave consent to the marriage. "Wigger" also said, the judge related, that Merl Carlson, husband of Lorene Quincy, was 21. Carlson admitted today that he is 18 years old.

Mrs. Roeder, Mrs. Sherrow, and the four children said this afternoon that George Carlson, father of Merl, was the only person who accompanied the couples to Paola and appeared before Judge Barkis.

Merl Carlson's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kelley, with whom the lad has lived the past eight years, said tonight they will not permit him to return to their home with his wife.

The youngsters did not appear particularly worried over what their parents thought of their big adventure, saying they hoped they would be allowed to make their own plans and live their own lives. They plan to leave next week for the west coast, following ap-

pearance of Quincy in municipal court on a charge of disorderly conduct brought against him in the beating of his child. Young Carlson recently given a medical discharge from the army, said he would go to Pearl Harbor in the event the marriage is annulled but the others had no plans for such a situation.

KANSAS CITY, May 24—(P)—Harold E. Quincy told police Tuesday that he gave his 14-year-old daughter, Lorene, the first spanking of her life last night—for bringing home a husband.

The 45-year-old war worker who operated a farm near Paola, Kas., said he was "not proud of this business, but when my little girl—she's our only child"—disclosed she was married "I ordered him (the bridegroom) out and then I spanked her."

Quincy told police the young husband's name was Merl Carlson. "I don't know how old he is and I didn't ask him," he added. "He looks about 18 or 19."

Lorene is a high school freshman. Her mother is a clerk in a jewelry store.

The couple disclosed they were married in a double service Saturday night at Paola. The other couple was identified as 15-year-old Mrs. Mary Sherrow Wigger and Tom Wigger, 17.

"Mary and I just said we were 18 years old, and Merl and Tom said they were 21 and we got married," Lorene explained today.

Awards Given At The SAAF

Two Civilians, Of Sedalia, Receive Checks Of \$50 Each

SEDALIA ARMY AIR FIELD, May 24—Ingenuity and resourcefulness paid dividends in the form of \$50 checks to two civilian employees at the Sedalia Army Air Field for submitting suggestions in the "Ideas for Victory" campaign of the War Department.

Formal presentation of the checks was made Tuesday afternoon by Col. Jerome B. McCauley, base commander, to H. H. Mobley, 1210 S. Carr avenue, Sedalia and James L. Kostoryz, 1815 West Third street, Sedalia.

Mr. Mobley, base safety engineer, received the award for suggesting that medical examination reports be made available to the unit to which an employee is assigned. This information will be used for assigning the employee to a job he is physically capable of doing without injury to himself and with increased efficiency. This will also prevent a government compensation in case of injury.

A check was awarded to Mr. Kostoryz, junior administrative assistant at the base ordnance, for his suggestion on making requisitions, which will furnish essential information to a supply depot.

Pay On Suggestions
Any civilian employee at the SAAF is eligible to receive a cash award for a suggestion which results in improvement of efficiency or increased economy in the operations or administration of any activity of the war department.

Boxes are provided on the base for suggestions, and employees can simply drop their ideas in the red, white, and blue striped boxes marked "Ideas for Victory."

This suggestion program has already effected an estimated annual saving of \$12,938,507 to the War Department.

Total amount of awards paid out by the War Department to civilian employees from June, 1943, until last month was \$133,277, representing \$1.03 per cent of total estimated annual saving.

The war department is stressing the importance of civilian suggestions as a method of improving not only working conditions, but also the processing of the actual work. To date, thousands of useful suggestions have been received from installations throughout the country.

Calls On War Plants To Operate May 30

WASHINGTON, May 24—(P)—Chairman Donald M. Nelson of the war production board Tuesday called upon all plants engaged in war output to operate a full work-

Resigns As Treasurer To Be A Brakeman

PARSONS, Kansas, May 24—(P)—Abner McCrary, serving his second term as Labette county treasurer, resigned Tuesday to accept a job as a brakeman for the Katy railroad.

Offering his resignation to County Commissioners at Oswego, he asked them to appoint a successor as soon as possible. He served as deputy treasurer from 1938 until he began his first term as treasurer in 1941.

ing day schedule on Memorial day, May 30, asserting "It is extremely important at this particular time that we maintain full scale production. x x x there is no better way in which we can honor the men who have given their lives for our country than by foregoing our customary holiday."

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